

Western European Defenses Invite Trouble

Congress Pulls a Fast One by Voting Extra Money to Members; One Makes Protest

Washington, May 14—(AP)—Claiming that two-thirds of its members had no idea what was going on, Rep. Hoffman (R-Mich) today urged the house to take back the extra expense money it voted itself Thursday.

Hoffman said he will introduce a resolution Monday to throw out the bill giving each member an additional \$3,000 for clerical help and \$500 for telephone and telegraph expenses.

He said he was among those who were unaware that the bill had been passed. It was called up in a surprise move with less than 100 members present and skidded through without debate or a record vote.

Criticizing the house leadership for not having announced in advance that the bill was coming up, Hoffman said most members were deceived because the bill was omitted from the legislative outline distributed at the start of each week's business.

Bill a "Sleeper"

Hoffman said the bill was slipped in among several routine resolutions called up by Chairman Norton (D-NJ) of the house administration committee.

"I had learned through the press that such a measure was contemplated," he said, "and when the chairman of the committee walked down to the well of the house I moved to the front so as to be on the watch for that particular bill."

"Although I listened carefully, I was unable to hear enough of what either the chairman of the committee or the clerk of the house said to learn that the measure I was watching for was up for consideration."

Newmen seated in the press gallery directly over the clerk's desk had difficulty identifying the bill as it sped through along with several other measures.

Asks "Example"

Hoffman, commenting in an interview that the bill would cost more than \$1,000,000 a year, called on members of congress "to set the example" in curbing federal expenses.

He said that a single objection could block his resolution to cancel the action. If that happens, he added, he will start a petition to force an early vote.

Several other members, also irritated by the procedure under which the bill was passed, said they will resist any move to make it effective. They said they can do this by opposing the later measure which would be needed to provide money for the extra expense account.

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Patronage by Truman Must Meet a Test

Washington, May 14—(AP)—The Democratic patronage issue simmered down today to two requirements outlined by William Boyle, executive director of the Democratic national committee:

1. "Anybody who was bitterly opposed to the president in the campaign and still is" won't get a job with the committee's approval.
2. Nobody will get a federal appointment "unless he believes in the general principles of the party as set out by the president."

Boyle's clarification of the committee's stand, made in a statement to a reporter, seemed to jibe closely with what Democratic Chairman J. Howard McGrath has been saying publicly and privately.

The McGrath credo is that those who made personal attacks on President Truman because of his civil rights program won't be welcomed back into the party.

And the national chairman has made it clear that no states rights supporters can expect to receive federal appointment.

But McGrath apparently has left room to welcome back into the party some who strayed off the reservation in last November's campaign.

This apparently applies to such members of congress as Senator Stennis (D-Miss), who felt called upon yesterday to make a formal statement that he had voted for the Thurmond-Wright states right ticket.

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Missing from Home Here



Have you seen this girl?
Her name is Shirley Pinback, 15 year old freshman at the Dixon high school, who has been missing from her home at 1020 Jackson ave. since two weeks ago today.
If you have seen this girl or have any idea where she might be, contact the Dixon police department immediately.

Self Rule for West Berlin Approved by Three Powers

Berlin, May 14—(AP)—The United States, Britain and France today approved self rule for western Berlin under limited allied supervision.

It was announced that the three western commandants had signed a self rule statute in the form of a "statement of principles." The statute grants the Germans direct administrative control of the western portion of the city but reserves wide supervisory powers to the three commandants.

Fields of activity specifically reserved to the occupation authorities include:

- Disarmament and demilitarization; restitution, reparations, de-cartelization, foreign interests in Berlin and claims against Berlin; relations with authorities abroad; displaced persons; protection and security of allied forces, control of convicted German war criminals, and supervision of police "in view of the special circumstances prevailing in Berlin."

Interception Clause

One clause retains for the occupation authorities the right to intervene "in an emergency and issue orders to insure security, good order and financial and economic stability of the city." This proviso is broad enough to keep the door open for the western allies to take action at any time on any subject.

A four-power conference was called to seek to clear away some of the confusions and differences remaining as a hangover since the lifting of the Berlin blockade Thursday.

The economic chiefs of all four military governments in Berlin scheduled the meeting. A major subject before them is the Russian claim that the agreements still are valid—but they do contend the agreements are outmoded.

Reciprocal Deliveries

Meanwhile, Russia declared her intention of quickly resuming reciprocal deliveries to 18 western nations of the inter-allied reparations agency in return for past reparations delivered to her from western Germany.

Under the 1945 Potsdam agreement, the Soviet Union was granted a 25 per cent share of western German reparations and was obliged to reciprocate with goods worth 60 per cent of this share.

American military government officials disclosed that the western allies, because of Russia's declaration, now are ready to resume shipment of west German reparations which had been allocated to the Soviets but frozen by the now-lifted counter blockade.

Communist Eisler, Fugitive, Still Aboard Polish Vessel

Southampton, Eng., May 14—(AP)—The Southampton tender returned today from the Polish steamer Batory without bringing Communist Gerhart Eisler to British soil.

The tender was nearly two and a half hours overdue. This indicated there had been protracted negotiations aboard the Batory between ship officers and a Scotland Yard inspector sent to get Eisler. The tender reached here at 3:25 p. m.

A special court session was called for this afternoon apparently in the expectation that Eisler would be brought ashore from the Polish ship in which he fled New York.

There were reports here that a member of the Polish embassy in London also went to meet the Batory at the anchorage 12 miles out, in British waters, off the Isle of Wight. The report could not be confirmed.

Call Special Session

The Southampton magistrate, Alfred Bedford, called the special court session.

The captain of the Polish ship Batory on which Eisler escaped as a stowaway, was quoted in a radio report as saying: "I will land him in Gdynia." That is the Polish port for which the ship will head after leaving Southampton.

CBS Correspondent Richard Yaffee, who also is aboard, said that only instructions from the ship's owners or the Polish diplo-

Run Down by Car, Hawkins Boy Is 'Fair'

Thomas Gerald Hawkins, 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hawkins, 1323 Peoria Ave., suffered internal injuries when the family car rolled over him last night.

According to Mrs. Hawkins, the car was unoccupied and coasted out of the garage, down the driveway and struck the boy. Mrs. Hawkins indicated that one of his lungs was punctured and that he was under oxygen at KSB hospital. Gerald was admitted to the hospital at 9:15 p. m. last night.

Official reports from the hospital today, indicated that his condition is "fair."

Auto Manufacturers Get Dies from Plant

South Bend, Ind., May 14—(AP)—Thirteen trucks from Kaiser-Frazer and Packard auto companies rolled into the strike-bound Bendix Aviation Corporation plant today as scattered pickets watched silently.

A dozen of the trucks entered the plant to remove 19 Kaiser-Frazer brake dies and the largest of the caravan was to take out seven dies belonging to Packard.

A transportation official who would not be quoted by name, said the Packard truck would remove only brake-making equipment and would not touch a number of parts belonging to the company.

Sheriff Stephen C. Hipsack said leaders of the striking local No. 9 of the United Auto Workers (CIO) agreed last night to permit removal of the equipment. Kaiser-Frazer got a reprieve in order in circuit court yesterday and Packard had obtained a similar order four days ago.

Springfield School Is Guttled by Fire

Springfield, Ill., May 14—(AP)—Fire gutted St. Joseph's parochial school today, causing an estimated \$200,000 in damage to the three story brick building. No one was injured.

Fire Chief Francis Londrigan said the origin of the blaze was not known.

Admitted: Garth Good, John Middleton of Franklin Grove; Miss Lois Mon of Polo; Mrs. Dorothy Celebron, Mrs. Anna Stanley, Master Hawkins, and Master Robert Gholsen.

Discharged: Philip Hopkins, Mrs. Edith Kindelberger, Mrs. Ruth Vaughan, Mrs. Leona Tilton, Mrs. Lena McHenry, Jess Smith, Mrs. Lorraine Swain, Miss Ruth Moore, Master Robert Gholsen, Miss Ellen Ventler, Mrs. Mabel Buchanan of Polo and Mrs. Alice Countryman.

Father French Gets State Senate Honor

Rev. Fr. Ronald L. French of St. Anne's Catholic church, today received an outstanding recognition, in being invited to accept the post of chaplain in the Illinois senate at Springfield for the week of May 16th.

The honor was a courtesy bestowed upon Rev. Fr. French by Lieut. Governor Sherwood Dixon, who is a member of St. Anne's parish. Rev. Fr. French will go to Springfield Monday morning to accept the post.

Father French has been at St. Anne's for nine years.

Manhattan Cafe to Close for One Week

Paul Potts and Lyle Myers of the New Manhattan restaurant, Galena Ave., have announced a program of improvements. At the close of business Sunday night the restaurant will remain closed for one week, reopening Tuesday morning, May 24 at 6:30.

During the week period, the owners, plan to have installed a new asphalt tile floor, new counter fixtures and install new gas ranges in the kitchen. The interior and exterior are to be completely redecorated and repainted.

Amboy Girl, Rockford Man Obtain License

A marriage license has been issued by Sterling D. Schrock, Lee county clerk to Louis Dal Santo, of Rockford, and Miss Mary A. Butler, Amboy.

Paper Says We Must Re-Build with Aid Plan

Washington, May 14—(AP)—The state department declared today that the present defenses of western Europe are so weak they "invite military aggression."

It said the United States "must assist" in rebuilding those defenses with a first year arms aid program of \$1,130,000,000, and more later.

In an official "Peace Paper," the department disclosed in comprehensive detail for the first time a six-point plan for helping free nations strengthen their defenses. This program will be presented to congress soon by President Truman.

Ford Strike Settlement in Progress?

Detroit, May 14—(AP)—Negotiations in the ten-day-old Ford strike idling at least 100,000 men gave some indications of progress today.

It wasn't enough, however, to bring forth any talk of early settlement and at the same time the federal government was interesting itself in the strike's "grave consequences."

Mediation Director Cyrus S. Ching said he would step in unless the strike were settled within a "reasonable period."

Wire Sent

Ching, acting from Washington, sent telegrams to President Walter Reuther of the striking CIO United Auto Workers and Henry Ford II, company president.

In the light of "vital public interest" Ching said the government's mediation service would enter the case unless there were "significant progress within a reasonable period of time."

He did not specify what he meant by "reasonable."

The federal mediation chief's message arrived yesterday as the UAW-CIO made a settlement proposal in writing in the the production speeds dispute.

Struck On May 5

The union's 65,000 workers at Ford Rouge and Lincoln-Mercury went on strike on May 5 on a charge of an unfair speed-up in the plants. The company denies this.

Reuther turned the UAW's proposal over to John S. Bugas, head negotiator for the company.

Afterwards Bugas said it was the union's "first concrete proposal." He asked time to study it.

Fewer Seek Jobless Pay

Washington, May 14—(AP)—The number of workers drawing jobless insurance pay fell off 67,000 last week, the first drop in a month.

This decline brought the total down to 1,980,000 during the week ending May 7 as compared with 2,037,000 for the preceding period.

But the federal security agency said yesterday the number of newly laid-off workers filing claims for unemployment compensation rose from 322,100 to 354,000 in the same period.

Before last week's drop in jobless payments, the agency noted that for three weeks there had been a steady increase. Despite the decline the May 7 total still was 775,000 higher than in the same period last year.

On this point, the FSA report said that more workers have been using up their jobless benefit rights this year than during 1948.

This Chap Was Lucky All the Way 'Round

Ada, Okla., May 14—(AP)—J. J. Davis found a dollar bill in a sack of cow feed here last week.

He used it to buy a ticket for an American Legion raffle. Yesterday—Friday the 13th—he told him he'd won the new Ford sedan.

"I guess I'll have to learn how to drive," said Davis, a 45-year-old quarry worker.

Chief Fischer Has His 60th Birthday

Police Chief Harry J. Fischer, celebrated his 60th birthday at home quietly Friday, with his family.

Mrs. Karraker Talks at DeKalb Meeting

Mrs. Bernice W. Karraker, librarian at the Dixon public library, is scheduled to appear on the program at a regional library meeting to be held at the DeKalb public library Tuesday, May 24.

The session will be the seventh in the 31st annual series sponsored by the Illinois State Library and the Illinois Library Association.

The theme for this year's program is "The Librarian in the Community." Mrs. Karraker of Dixon and Orin C. Spicer, librarian at Illinois Wesleyan university at Bloomington are scheduled to conduct a discussion on the subject, "The Librarian's Responsibility to the Reader in the Community."

High School Music Group to Entertain Rotarians, Monday

Rotarian program chairman Lyle Prescott, has arranged to have the music class of Dixon high school, to present a musical program at the Rotary noon meeting in Loveland Community House, on Monday, May 16.

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The Big Secret, by Merel Colby. The frustrations of a reformer in bureaucratic Washington.

The Sons of Noah, by Negley Farson. This is a love story of two young people from the top and bottom rungs of Philadelphia's social ladder who are kept apart by the maliciousness of the girl's mother.

The City Boy, by Herman Wouk. A story for adults about a young boy, reminiscent of both Sinclair Lewis and Booth Tarkington.

GENERAL

The Lost City of the Incas, by Hiram Bingham. "The story of Machu Picchu and its builders' high in the Peruvian Andes."

The Complete Book of Progressive Knitting, by Ida Riley Duncan. A little late in the season for knitting, perhaps, but a useful book on the subject.

Microbes Militant, by Frederick Eberson. "A challenge to man, the story of modern preventive medicine and the control of infectious diseases."

Investment in People, by Edwin Embree. "The story of the Julius Rosenwald Fund," the fortune made in the mail order business of Sears, Roebuck & Co. and left with the stipulation that the entire amount be spent in a given period to promote interracial understanding.

God's Underground, by Father George. The author, a Catholic priest, writes under a pseudonym of the "underground" work of the church in Yugoslavia.

Over the Reefs and Far Away, by Robert Gibbins. A charming account of life in the South Seas. **Thank God for My Heart Attack**, by Charles Harrison. A book of good advice for people who face life with a heart ailment, and sensible attitude about slackening the pace after middle age.

The Problem Drinker, by Joseph Hirsch. Alcoholism is of interest to many people and this little book presents a history of alcohol and its effects and includes some examples of wise legislation in handling problem drinkers.

Economics for the Practical Man, by George Howe. A simple book on a complex subject, the economics "that makes the wheels go round."

Earth's Grandest Rivers, by Ferdinand Cole Lane. People have always been interested in the history of the world's famous waterways. This book deals with rivers and their influence on history, and tells of the individual rivers—the Yangtze Kiang, the Ganges, the Nile, the Rhine, the Amazon.

the Mississippi, and all the other great ones.

My House Is Yours, by Elsa Larralde. The author loves Mexico and writes of the small village and the house she built there.

Rudolph, the Tragedy of Mayerling, by Karoly Lonyay. A retelling of the famous romantic tragedy written by a nephew of the man who married Rudolph's widow.

North From Mexico, by Carey McWilliams. One of the "Peoples of America" series, this one, by the author of "Brothers Under the Skin", is presenting the Spanish-speaking people of the U.S.

The Man-Made Plague, by William G. Niederland. "A primer on neurosis" written by a teacher in the fields of psychiatry and medicine. His primer aims to help people keep peace in the difficult art of human relationships with material progress of the Twentieth Century World.

Paths to the Present, by Arthur M. Schlesinger. A brief, almost too brief, sketch of major changes in political thought in this country, the broad sweeps of changes which make up our "usable past."

The Secretary's Handbook, by Sarah Taintor and Kate Monro. A 1949 edition, the 7th, of the standard manual of correct usage for a secretary.

The Set of the Sails, by Alan Villiers. The author of many delightful books about sailing ships and the sea now sets down his own story as a Cape Horn Seaman.

Diabetic Menus, Meals and Recipes, by Betty M. West. A useful book for putting variety into a limiting diet.

FOR YOUNG READERS

The Keene Party Book, by Frances W. Keene. Party books are always in demand—and this new one will be welcome.

Boys Book of Snakes, by Percy A. Morris. A fascinating book on how to recognize and understand one of the most fascinating living creatures, planned for the budding naturalist.

Canokia to Observe 250th Anniversary

Canokia, Ill., May 14—(AP)—A two-week observance of the 250th anniversary of this village, oldest settlement in the Mississippi valley, will begin here at 10 a.m. tomorrow with a Solemn Pontifical Field Mass. Samuel Cardinal Stritch and others will speak at a reception following an hour-long band concert tomorrow afternoon. The Missouri historical society is sponsoring a banquet in St. Louis tonight in connection with the Canokia anniversary. Henri Bonnet, French ambassador to the United States, will be one of the speakers.

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Five Billion Deficit Seen in US Budget

Washington, May 14—(AP)—An estimate that the government will go into the red by \$5,000,000,000 in the year beginning July 1 may be laid before the senate-house committee on revenue and taxation today by its experts.

The estimate, regarded as "alarming" by some members who had an advance peek at the figures, was said to forecast a substantial drop in federal income because of sagging business.

Figure A Surprise
In the face of increasing demands on congress for money, one committee member said that for the first time in many years the expert staff, headed by Colin Stam, may estimate a lower tax receipt figure than the treasury does.

President Truman predicted in his budget message last January that income would reach \$40,985,000,000 for the year starting July 1, or \$873,000,000 less than the expected \$41,858,000,000 in government spending.

Since that time, however, additional budget requests have been sent to congress which would increase the spending total. And some money bills—notably the \$16,000,000,000 military appropriations measure passed by the house—seem likely to increase it even more.

The senate-house committee report is expected to show that receipts aren't keeping pace with spending in the present year and are likely to fall even further behind in the 12 months ending June 30, 1950.

Current receipts are running about \$1,500,000,000 under what they were at the same time last year. Income tax withholdings, for instance, are \$1,400,000,000 short of the total for the same date in 1948.

New Taxes Probable
The senate-house committee report thus may give new impetus to a faltering economy movement which has developed in the senate. It also may furnish fuel for the relatively few capitol hill supporters of President Truman's repeated demand for \$4,000,000,000 in new taxes.

Both Chairman Doughton (D-N.C.) of the house ways and means committee and Chairman George (D-Ga.) of the senate finance committee are lined up against new taxes at this time.

Sir Francis Drake in 1579 went ashore in Martin county, California, and nailed a metal plate to a post, claiming that region for Queen Elizabeth of England.

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John Lewis, in Hands of Experts, Is a 'New Man'

By JAMES MARLOW
Washington, May 14—(AP)—John L. Lewis, whose scowl and tactics may have made him seem sort of set in his ways, isn't too old to learn.

At 69 he's trying something new: A smoother way of getting along with the public and the coal mine owners, his old antagonists.

Lewis has been a famous labor leader at least 30 years. He's moved from strike to strike and crisis to crisis in the coal fields.

He has roared at and denounced—roundly, publicly and loudly—the mine owners with whom he's had to bargain for his miners.

And year by year, whether or not you liked his tactics, he's won new and greater benefits for them.

But there's always been a question in people's minds:

Could he have done the same for his miners without the great strikes that cost the nation coal, the owners profits, and the miners wages?

Won Public Criticism
The question never will be answered, of course, but Lewis' tactics have won him a lot of public criticism.

Maybe the bad reviews he's been getting in recent years every time he has come thundering

into public view have disturbed him.

At any rate, he's not so set in his ways that he's not willing to learn something new. And he's willing to pay to learn.

On his payroll now he has Allied Syndicates, Inc., to help him out in his public relations.

And a friend of long-standing, George Creel, who headed Woodrow Wilson's committee on public information in World War I, has slipped into town for a month to give Lewis a hand.

Creel at 73 is four years older than Lewis. He's an old-time newspaperman, author and magazine writer. And he feels this way about labor management relations:

If labor and management are going to do decent bargaining when they sit down together, it's a good idea for them not to build up ill-will beforehand by name-calling.

This week Lewis' publicity firm, Allied Syndicates, Inc., got out a 5½-page sketch of Lewis. You can be sure it's favorable to him.

It pictures him as a pretty genial man, which he probably is in spite of the times he's roared and scowled. It says:

"In private life, Mr. Lewis is by no means the 'gruff sourpuss' that many cartoonists and writers have endeavored to depict. He is one of the most affable, big-

hearted men on the American scene."

And tomorrow Creel will distribute a report on the miners' health and welfare fund which Lewis won from the mine owners.

Lewis Trusts Creel
Trusting Creel, Lewis had many times asked him to come work with him a bit.

But some time ago Creel got sick in China, went to Baltimore for treatment, and stopped off here a month on his way back to California to help his friend, Lewis.

Now suddenly—probably under the soft-stroking of his publicity advisers—his mood and approach seem to have changed, and softened.

In other springtimes when his contract with the mine owners was coming to an end, Lewis rumbled and hit the war drums.

This year it was different. He has started dealings with the owners on a new contract in a quiet and peaceful mood.

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Woman Photographer Reaches Noted Falls

Caracas, Venezuela, May 14—(AP)—Ruth Robertson, a freelance photographer, is reported among the first group of white persons to reach on foot Angel Falls in eastern Venezuela.

She is one of two Americans on an expedition from the United States. The falls are the highest in the world, estimated at between 3,300 and 5,000 feet from crest to bottom. Niagara falls are only 169 feet high.

The winning players' shares in the 1948 World Series, which saw each Cleveland Indian collect \$6,772.05, a new record.

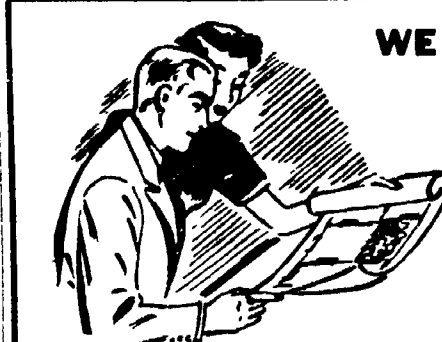
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FINANCIAL STATEMENT TO THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE SWISSVILLE SANITARY DISTRICT, LEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS:

Gentlemen: The undersigned, Joseph F. Villiger, Treasurer of said District, herewith submits an itemized statement of all of the receipts and disbursements made by him from the 11th day of May, A. D. 1948, to and including the 10th day of May, A. D. 1949.

He Would Charge Himself With the Following Receipts:

1948
May 11—To balance cash on hand as shown by last report... \$4,413.06
June 14—To cash received from Kenneth D. Abbott, first half of 1947 taxes... 899.88
Nov. 18—To cash received from Kenneth D. Abbott, County Treasurer, last half of 1947 taxes... 912.97

TOTAL RECEIPTS \$6,225.91

He Would Ask Credit for the Following Disbursements:

1948
July 1—By cash paid City of Dixon, Illinois, 1948-1949, sewer connection with Disposal Plant... \$ 600.00
July 19—By cash paid Sterling D. Schrock, County Clerk, fees 1949... 2.00
March 8—By cash paid B. F. Shaw Printing Company, publishing Treasurer's report... 14.10
March 8—By cash paid Joseph F. Villiger, monies advanced for cleaning sewers of District... 30.00
May 10—By cash paid Leroy Gaul, Trustee's salary... 60.00
May 10—By cash paid William H. Lieving, Trustee's salary... 60.00
May 10—By cash paid Joseph F. Villiger, Trustee's salary... 60.00
May 10—By cash paid Albert H. Hanneken, Attorney's salary, clerk's fees and advanced for stationery, stamps, etc., total... 85.00

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS \$ 911.10

RECAPITULATION

Total receipts \$6,225.91

Total disbursements 911.10

Balance cash on hand \$5,314.81

Said balance is on deposit in the City National Bank in Dixon, Illinois, in the name of Swissville Sanitary District.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, this 10th day of May, A. D. 1949.

JOSEPH F. VILLIGER, Treasurer

Subscribed and sworn to before me May 10, A. D. 1949.

A. H. HANNEKEN, Notary Public.



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 Second row: Don Horn, Dick Parker, Dwayne Vaupel, Donna Bruchle, Doris Lawson, Barbara Reed, Virginia Warner, Wayne Hart, Harlan Schabacker, Charles Wisman.
 Third row: Don Wetzel, Stanley Thompson, Alan Albrecht, Lee Montanus, Gilbert Nankivil, Robert Sword, Robert Davis, Melvin Schafer, Richard Meyer.

Lee Center Seniors



First row: Billie Garrison, Gloria Kurz, Norma Weirman, Laura Jessee, Irene Twardowski.
 Second row: Ted Staubli, Bob Delhotal, Howard Wellman, Clinton Wade, Bruce Conibear, Paul Aschenbrenner.

Steward Seniors



Seated: Betty Prosik, Jane Fell, Anne Hemenway, Marilyn Hall, Barbara Ewald.
 Standing: Donald Rogde, Glen Holle, Wayne Starnes, Ronald Oleson, Wayne Macklin.

St. Mary's West Brooklyn Eighth Grade



Seated: Joanne Hahn, Patricia Bettner, Patricia Sondgeroth, Don Mellott.
 Standing: Ronald Montavon, Raymond Chaon, Charles Rex, Gene Montavon.

Compton Area Eighth Grade Grads



Duane Fassig, Donald Aughenbaugh, Barbara Zimmerlein, Marilyn Gilmore, Rosine Wilhelm.

Paw Paw Area Eighth Grade Grads



First row: Elliot Goble, William Herrmann, Leonard Rogers, Leon Florschuetz.
 Second row: Joan Klinafelter, Bonnie Thompson, Jeanne Schlesinger, Betty Luce, Donna Eich, Theodora Rosekrans, Sharon Todd, Virginia Carr.

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A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Fill your time with positive service and good. Do not drift. Have definite things on hand to do.—
Henry Churchill King.

Truman's Threats to Give Congress a Spanking Get Him Exactly Nowhere

Mr. Truman is the first president since Warren G. Harding to graduate to the White House from congress. And no president since Harding has been more familiar with the operations and traditions of that legislative body. Yet it sometimes seems that his familiarity breeds, if not contempt, at least a disregard for the pride and sensitivity of the lawmakers.

This congress, or any congress, is highly conscious of its prestige and dignity. Its members have their differences. But like many quarrelsome families, they will unite to defend themselves against any attack from the outside.

Yet Mr. Truman seems to take periodic delight in rubbing his former colleagues the wrong way. He has cast aspersions at the Republican 80th congress and the Democratic 81st. He has stuck pins into the thin skins of individual members. He has demanded that congress think and act as he bids, on pain or loss of patronage.

And now, unless the national commander of the American Veterans committee has deliberately misquoted him—which seems most unlikely—Mr. Truman has obliquely invited Virginians to oust their senior senator with the remark that there are too many Byrds in congress.

This is surprising for two reasons. One is that Mr. Truman surely knows the hazards of trying to purge a rebellious congress of its disobedient member. Mr. Roosevelt tried it at the height of his extravagant popularity, and failed. Purge attempts are not only considered an affront by the targets and many of their associates. They also are usually resented by the voters who send the potential purges to congress.

The second reason is that Mr. Truman has seen that more congressmen are captured with sugar than with vinegar. The president has tried toughness with this congress, and he has also tried a little cajolery. The soft approach has produced more harmony and more accomplishment.

Somehow Mr. Truman just doesn't seem to be the tough type. He is apparently a down-to-earth, agreeable man whom his former colleagues on Capitol Hill instinctively want to like. He would probably come much closer to achieving his goals by cashing in on this asset than by being the cold and disapproving taskmaster.

President Truman accomplishes the seemingly impossible last fall by winning the voters who seemed so surely committed to another candidate. He did it partly by excoriating the last congress and promising better things from the next one.

Now, to fulfill his promise, he must win the present congress to his way of thinking. However much he may disagree with individual members, he is certainly aware that the congress, as an institution, is the dignified equal of his own office. That is why his frequent fits of scolding seem so oddly unrealistic and out of character.

A 1920 Model Goes to the Junk Yards



PETER EDSON'S

Washington News Notebook

Behind the Scenes at the Nation's Capitol—
Timely Little Stories About Some 'Big' People

Washington—Pentagon reporters say they have now identified five kinds of "off the record" remarks by Defense Secretary Louis Johnson. 1. "Completely off the record. You can't use anything. Okay boys?" 2. "Off the record, but you can use it if you don't attribute to any official source." 3. "Off the record, but you can say you got it from a high authority." 4. "Off the record, but you can say you learned it from me." 5. "Off the record!"

Johnson's Press Relations Strained

Johnson is having plenty of trouble with his press relations in spite of his efforts to get to know every reporter by name and a series of luncheons with Washington bureau chiefs. On the stopping of construction of Navy super-aircraft carrier, Johnson didn't say enough and could easily have made a statement. On appointment of Curtis Calder as secretary of the Army, Johnson said too much. Calder next day denied he had accepted the job. One cause of trouble is that before Johnson's appointment there was heavy press editorial criticism against too much service rivalry and not enough unification. Now that Johnson has moved to end this bickering, reporters don't like it because officers are afraid to talk.

Rank Injustice?

Washington hostesses are all confused for lack of a ruling on who ranks whom in the armed forces. Before unification, an Army officer had precedence over a Naval officer of equal rank. After unification, it was assumed that Army, Navy and Air Force officers of same rank would have more or less equal status, with the social honors going to the one who had seniority. But protocol experts have refused to decide the issue.

AMA Gives Health Insurance Both Barrels

American Medical Association apparently isn't doing as well as expected on getting \$25 from every doctor to fight health insurance. It hoped to raise \$4,000,000. First quarter collections were only a little over a million. In Washington, collections ran into an snag when invitations were sent to Negro doctors, who aren't admitted to District of Columbia Medical Society. One piece of A. M. A. literature now being left in doctors' offices misses no bets. It claims health insurance was invented by Bismarck, who was a German, was introduced into America by Communists, will lead to Socialism.

Comes the Dawn

Why reclamation associations fight public power development has always been something of a mystery, since the power generated at dams pays the major cost of irrigation projects. Partial explanation is given by published financial statement of Washington State Reclamation Assn. It shows receipts of \$3,000 dues from its own members and \$5,250 received from three big private power companies.

Headed for the Little Black Book

Labor union lobbyists in Washington have been checking up on the votes against rent control and the votes against sending the Wood labor bill back to committee for redrafting. They find much similarity between the two votes. Against rent control

were 61 Republicans and 52 Democrats. Against recommitment of the Wood bill were 146 Republicans and 71 Democrats. Names on both lists are being checked and will be watched on future important votes for compiling a list of congressmen against whom the unions will campaign in 1952.

Legion Turns 'Angel'

American Legion and Hollywood dance director LeRoy Prinz are now partners in show business. Prinz sold Legion's National Executive Committee this bill of goods: Local Legion posts are to sponsor talent contests. Prinz will travel around and be judge. From top winners, Prinz will assemble a musical show which will tour the country under Legion sponsorship. Three hundred wealthy Legionnaires were nicked for \$1,900 each to finance the production. Prinz says show should net the Legion three or four million dollars. If it pays out, the 300 angels will get their money back with no profit. If it doesn't, well—that's the show business.

Vandenberg Introduces Himself

Shortly after Defense Secretary Louis Johnson stopped construction on the Navy's super-aircraft carrier, Sen. Arthur H. Vandenberg of Michigan was invited out to dinner. He was seated at the table next to a woman who immediately opened up on him with a broadside.

"I want you to know who I am," she began. The senator replied that he knew who she was, having seen her name on the place card. "But you don't know my background," the woman went on. "I am the wife of a vice admiral and the daughter of an admiral. And on this day of infamy for the Navy, I think you should do something to this man Johnson for what he has done in stopping work on the super-carrier."

Vandenberg broke in there with, "Wait a minute. I want you to know who I am." The woman said she knew perfectly well who he was. "But you don't know my background," said the senator. "I'm the uncle of the chief of staff of the United States Air Force."

Keep 'Em After School, Sam

As Speaker Sam Rayburn was leaving the House chamber after the bitter fight over labor legislation, he ran into Republican Congressman J. Harry McGregor of Ohio. McGregor was formerly speaker of the Ohio House of Representatives. Rayburn called him over. "Mac," he said, "What would you do with that bunch if you had 'em?" McGregor just laughed.

Couldn't Bear the Strain

Winthrop Brubaker, Chance Vought Aircraft Corp., tells the story of a "hump" pilot on the China India run during the war. He had a pet Himalayan cub bear that he was hauling. When fighter craft came alongside to identify the plane, the transport flyer turned on the automatic pilot, strapped the bear in the pilot's seat and then ducked to a rear window to see what happened. The fighter pilot circled the transport several times to make sure of what he was seeing—a bear flying a C-47. When he reported this back to his base, he was immediately shipped back home. Extreme case of combat fatigue.

tion of about 100 men who made

their way to New Orleans, to establish an empire that was to comprise the Louisiana Territory, a large section of the Western states and Mexico. He was tried for treason, but was acquitted.

Q—In what formation do geese migrate?
A—Geese migrate in a V-shaped formation.

Q—Are foreigners permitted to purchase land in American Samoa?
A—No. The Samoan natives are of a high type of the Polynesian race and are on the increase because local laws prohibit foreigners from buying their lands. The natives read and write and are Christians of various denominations.

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A—Aaron Burr was charged with having organized an expedi-

In the first persecutions of Christians in Rome, under Nero, the Apostles Peter and Paul were said to have been martyred.

• MCKENNEY ON BRIDGE

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♠ Q 8 7 6	♥ 9 8 3	♦ 10 9 7	♣ Q 4 3
♠ 5 4	♥ A J 5 4	♦ A J 8 2	♣ 7 5 2
Tournament—Neither vul.			
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2♦	Pass	4♠	Pass
4♦	Pass	4♠	Pass
5♦	Pass	6 N.T.	Pass
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14			

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY
America's Card Authority

When I received an invitation recently from Dong Kingman to see the exhibition of his paintings at the Midtown Galleries in New York City, I did not at first connect the name with the Chinese boy I knew as a bridge player.

I went over to the exhibition and found Dong enthusiastic because one of his watercolors had won the 1949 American Watercolor Society prize.

Dong was born in Oakland, Calif., but at the age of 5, he went to China and stayed there until he was 18. Then he returned to the U. S., married, and his 18-year-old son is now in the Marine Reserve. Dong teaches art at Columbia University and at Hunter College in New York.

A great many doctors and professional men paint for relaxation, but Dong's relaxation is bridge. He thought he was lucky on today's hand. But if you are not optimistic in your bidding once in a while, you are apt to find yourself crowded out.

Of course, his partners weak opening bid of one heart did mislead him. Dong started off rather conservatively with a bid of two diamonds. When his partner bid three diamonds, confirming a sound opening bid, Dong bid a new suit, forcing his partner to bid again. His four-spade bid, also a new suit, required another bid by South. The jump to six-no trump was truly a plunge.

It is human to err, and you can count on the opponents to make a mistake once in a while. East made the mistake of leading a heart instead of a spade. This allowed declarer to go over and play the clubs through twice, thus winning four heart tricks, five diamonds, two clubs and the ace of spades.

Voice of the People

DISAGREES WITH WARNER To The Editor

Evening Telegraph
Dear Sir:
This is a reply to R. L. Warner. In view of the fact that I was at the Board of Education meeting last Wednesday night, I feel that the article in The Telegraph was very well written.

If a few more citizens were civic minded, the attendance at these meetings would not be so pitifully small and there would be more understanding and less criticism.

I would like to join the army that has congratulated Mr. Griffiths on his ability to put a 100 per cent improvement on The Telegraph.

Keep it up, please.
Albert King, Jr.

Burma Rebels Being Bombed Out, Report

Rangoon, Burma, May 14—(AP)—Burma army planes scored hits on headquarters of Rebel Karen Tribesmen at Nyungabin, 90 miles north of here, during a hard fight over a 25-mile front in that area, an army spokesman said today.

He said the Karens, who are fighting for establishment of a separate state of their own, are desperately trying to win through to the south to help other Karen units at Insein, 10 miles north of Rangoon.

One government platoon, he said, had been wiped out in a surprise rebel attack.

Brain Tumor Causes Death of Iris Davis

London, May 14—(AP)—Iris Davis died today of a brain cancer.

One of the new wonders of the world—a radio active chemical from the atomic ovens in Tennessee—had failed to halt the growing tumor that sapped her life.

Iris, the pretty 24-year-old and found ads in the paper, found theater operator, was stricken last autumn while on a tour of Europe.

★ IN HOLLYWOOD ★

Novarro Had to Age to Act; At 50 Hes' Back on Screen

By ERIKINE JOHNSON

Hollywood — Discount those stories you've heard about Ramon Novarro's one-time high temperature love-making.

The No. 1 celluloid lover boy of them all says they just aren't true.

"Maybe I suggested more," he told me, "but I did less than any leading man on the screen today. I was a gentleman. He photographed thoughts — not action. When I kissed a lady it was a kiss — not a bite."

John Gilbert and Valentino may have bit their leading ladies, but not Novarro. He said: "I did it with a look."

That Novarro look paid off to the tune of \$10,000 a week when he was starring 25 years ago in such heart throbbers as "Ben Hur," "Screamers," "The Prisoner of Zenda," "The Student Prince" and, when talkies came, in "The Pagan Love Song" and "Song of India."

Behind the Novarro look was physical perfection—and that darn near drove him crazy. Cameramen had orders to light him perfectly in every shot, to make him look handsome in every scene.

"By the time they got through lighting me like a painting I couldn't turn my head more than a few inches. One day I complained: 'I can't act when I can't move.'"

NOVARRO TODAY

A director replied: "Don't worry about acting, son. Just look handsome. You can act when you get old."

Today, at 50 with a gray-tipped goatee, Ramon Novarro is a wealthy actor.

He invested wisely in real estate and when he plays a movie role now it is to break the monotony of collecting rent. You'll see him next with Bob Mitchum and Jane Greer in RKO's "The Big Steal."

He plays a Mexican police inspector — one of the few times he's ever played his own nationality. He was born in Durango, Mexico, and came to the U. S. when he was 17.

But about screen love-making of today compared with 25 years ago, I'll let Ramon do the talking. "Maybe love scenes in silent films were more suggestive because pantomime is more potent than dialog," he said.

He remembers director Fred Niblo warning him: "If you hit a woman, Ramon, the audience will never forgive you."

There was plenty of censorship, he remembers, mostly self-imposed. He made a picture with Alice Terry called "The Lovers." It turned out to be such a steam-heated romance that producer Irving Thalberg gave the film a whole set of new subtitles to cool things down.

GARBO IN THE DARK

In "Mata Hari," Garbo and Novarro played a bedroom scene in a darkened room with only their burning cigarette discernible. The studio decided the scene was censorable and re-shot it with them sitting on a couch in a well-lighted room.

Almost half of another Novarro film, "The Night Is Young," was re-filmed because sneak preview fans complained that it was censorable.

"I was the idealistic lover," Novarro laughed. "I had to be

careful. I always had to keep one foot on the floor in love scenes."

Novarro is still famous for his business acumen. He wrote all his contracts himself. When the old Metro studio merged into Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, the new regime decided to break his contract and give him a new one.

They soon found it couldn't be broken. There were no loopholes. Later, the M-G-M attorney told him: "Novarro, you surprised me. I didn't know actors had any sense."

Novarro is a paradox. He was the screen's No. 1 lover for 15 years but he was and still is a bachelor. But as a bachelor he supported a family of 16-brothers, sisters, mother and relatives. "There were so many of us," he laughed, "I got hotel rates on our laundry."

Bennett Cerf reports it: Lionel Barrymore was asked how he enjoyed making a picture with little Margaret O'Brien. It was common knowledge that the fabulous moppet had stolen several scenes from under Mr. B's nose, despite all his know-how and experience.

Barrymore regarded the reporter balefully and blurted:

"Two hundred years ago they'd have burned her as a witch."

• SO THEY SAY

You (Americans) are too soft with us. Hitler would not have let us indulge nationalistic whims. Stalin will not do so, if the collapse of Europe gives him the chance.
—Max Meert, Belgian industrialist.

I'm going to stay nights with my mother for at least two years. I have a job to do, but I'm keeping that a secret.
—Actress Lila Leeds, as she was released from jail.

The healthy situation in this country is where we have a combination of public power and private power, where we can constantly measure one against the other and where one will serve as a stimulus to the other.
—Secretary of the Interior Julius A. Krug, commenting on utility ownership.

Parenthood is one of the few jobs in which, if good work is done, the parent is less and less needed.
—Dr. J. L. Hymes, Jr., professor of education, New York State Teachers' College.

If the totalitarian methods of present-day Moscow triumph, individual human beings all over the world will lose their liberties.
—George V. Allen, assistant secretary of state for public affairs.

Social Situations

SITUATION: Your host offers you a choice of several drinks.
WRONG WAY: Say, "Anything is all right for me."
RIGHT WAY: Say, "I'd like such-and-such, please."

★ THE DOCTOR SAYS ★

Eye Exercises Correct Certain Disorders of Orbs

By EDWIN F. JORDAN, M. D.

Jordan

A lot has been said in popular magazines about the value of eye exercises in improving the vision. As a result many people seem quite confused about this subject. They have good reason—there are still several aspects of the situation which are confusing even to physicians who have studied the eye intensively.

There are certain well-established uses for eye exercises—a type of treatment called "orthoptics." In certain kinds of squint, which is a condition in which the two eyes do not focus together satisfactorily, properly-directed eye exercises have real value in training the eye muscles to work together.

There is reason to believe that the proper kinds of exercises may help other eye conditions. One part of the seeing process is focusing the picture on the back part of the eye, others involve carrying that picture through the nerve pathway to the brain. Some of those who have studied this feel that orthoptic training may do more to "educate" the brain than it does to improve the muscular action of the eyes in bringing about better sight.

RESTRICTED USES
There are some things which we know eye exercises cannot do. They cannot be expected to make

a small eye larger or a large eye smaller. They will not change the shape of the eye permanently, and thus cannot be expected to serve as a satisfactory substitute for properly fitted glasses when a person is short-sighted, long-sighted, or has astigmatism.

It is practically certain also that, exercises will not be of benefit in such diseases of the eyes as glaucoma or cataracts, though the claim has been made for some improvements of the latter.

Further studies are being carried out in many parts of the world. It seems probable that eye exercises will have value in a few conditions but can never be substituted for other measures of treatment including glasses, special drugs, and surgery.

Note: Dr. Jordan is unable to answer individual questions from readers. However, each day he will answer one of the most frequently asked questions in his column.

Doctor Answers

By EDWIN F. JORDAN, M.D.
QUESTION: Is it true that if a person eats too many oranges at once it will thin the blood?
ANSWER: No.

★ RUTH MILLETT ★

Women Good Purchasing Agents; They Buy Wisely

In a recent magazine article Hardy Burt blasts the theory that women spend 80 per cent of the consumer dollar. He points out that a housewife is not an independent shopper, that she is in the main nothing more than a purchasing agent for her husband.

Few housewives will argue with him on that score. Most of the buying women do is family buying. And when a woman is shopping for the family she certainly is not an independent shopper.

She buys the brand of breakfast food that Junior insists on because the box top from it plus 15 cents will get him a magic ring or a policeman's badge.

When she shops for her husband's clothes she buys him his old stand-by, for she knows better than to bring him home "the latest thing," however it might appeal to her.

When she shops for a teen-age daughter she either takes her along and lets her choose what she wants, or follows definite instructions as to what to buy. If she doesn't she knows there'll be a scene when she gets home.

FOOD IS BOUGHT FOR FAMILY

Even when she markets, she is family.

nothing more than a purchasing agent for the family. She may write down her grocery list, but she keeps her family's food preferences in mind. "My family won't eat that," she tells the butcher when he tries to sell her a certain cut of meat.

And when it comes to her own clothes, she still keeps her husband's dictates in mind. "My husband doesn't like me in black," she tells the saleswoman who is trying to sell her a black dress. And that satisfies the members of the Sure, Mama is just a purchasing agent, rather than an independent shopper. And she has all of a purchasing agent's headaches, too.

When she makes a purchase that satisfies the members of the family it is for, she gets scant praise, if any at all.

But when she makes a bad bargain or a poor selection, she hears about it, plenty.

If she were an independent shopper she would only have to please herself. But as it is, she has to try to please the whole

• BARBS

By HAL COCHRAN
There may be rhyme to some of the spring poems—but what's the reason?

Why not take your lawn mower to your neighbor's right now—and let him have it sharpened?

Ann

Doctors are familiar with many tongues though they speak only one language.

As far as youngsters are concerned, the first batch of home-grown spinach will be a surplus crop.



Q—How many patented inventions is Thomas A. Edison credited with?
A—He was a most prolific inventor, holding over 1200 U. S. patents. In addition he contributed to a great many other inventions.

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SOCIETY NEWS

Student and Prospective Nurses at Tea



Junior and senior students from the high schools in this area were well represented at the tea given in their honor on Thursday, May 12th, the anniversary of the birth of Florence Nightingale, at the KSB Nurses' Home from 2 to 4. The tea given by the Service Club of the hospital gave the girls interested in nursing a chance to inspect the homes and the hospital.

In the above picture, Mrs. Morey Pires, member of the Service Club, offers refreshments to (from left to right) Miss Betty Cramer of Dixon, and Miss Leola Jacobs of Dixon, student nurses, and the Misses Mary Lawler of Amboy, Wanetta Bonnell of Sublette and Florence Clark of near Sublette, students at Amboy high school, guests.

Barbara Cledon Wins Art Prize

Word has been received by Miss LaVerne Rhodes, art supervisor in Dixon, that Barbara Cledon, one of her high school students, has been awarded an Ingersoll Prize in the National High School Art Exhibit at Pittsburgh. Out of 200 pictures in Scholastic Art Exhibit at Peoria this spring this painting of Barbara's was one of six to receive a blue ribbon.

Barbara's painting was begun as an explosion of color, a new approach to painting. Out of the colors, Barbara created a large town along a lake. This method makes it necessary for the painter to forget everything he ever learned about painting the academic way.

Edwardsville Water Bills Cause Rumpus

Edwardsville, Ill., May 14—(AP)—Some 300 Edwardsville residents voted last night to withhold payment of their water bills pending court action on a suit to void the city's purchase of the water works from a private company.

Water bills were increased following the city's purchase of the water works last May.

Suit was filed last September alleging that bonds to finance the purchase were issued without a popular referendum and without public bidding on the bond issue.

South China, despite large mountain areas where few people live, has a far greater population than the United States although it covers less than one-fourth the land area.

In parts of upper Egypt rain falls only about once in every five years.

Social Calendar

Sunday

Duis School to have closing day picnic. Dinner at 1 p. m.
Mission Band to meet in the basement of the Grace Evangelical U. B. church. 10:45 a. m.
Garden Walks at Hazelwood and Reynoldswood. 11 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Monday

Garden Department of the Dixon Woman's club to meet at the Loveland Community House. 2 p. m.
Golden Rule class of St. Paul's Lutheran church, to meet at the Melvin cottage in Grand Detour. 6:30 scramble supper.

Nonfiction Review Group of the AAUW. 7:30 p. m.
Oes Parlor club at the Loveland Community House. 1:30 p. m.

Highland Avenue club to have a dinner at the Rice Tea Room. 6:30 p. m.

Chapter AC of the PEO Sisterhood to meet at the home of Mrs. Joseph Eichler for a 1 p. m. scramble luncheon.

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Student and Prospective Nurses at Tea



Junior and senior students from the high schools in this area were well represented at the tea given in their honor on Thursday, May 12th, the anniversary of the birth of Florence Nightingale, at the KSB Nurses' Home from 2 to 4. The tea given by the Service Club of the hospital gave the girls interested in nursing a chance to inspect the homes and the hospital.

In the above picture, Mrs. Morey Pires, member of the Service Club, offers refreshments to (from left to right) Miss Betty Cramer of Dixon, and Miss Leola Jacobs of Dixon, student nurses, and the Misses Mary Lawler of Amboy, Wanetta Bonnell of Sublette and Florence Clark of near Sublette, students at Amboy high school, guests.

Hazelwood School News

Activities for the school year will be concluded Thursday evening when Hazelwood PTA meets for a scramble supper. Food will be served promptly at 7 o'clock. Entertainment for the meeting will be provided by the school pupils.

Friends are cordially invited.

Dixie Girls Have May Meeting Here

The May meeting of the Dixie Girls 4-H Club was held at the Loveland Community House Thursday evening. Mary Houden gave a demonstration on "How I Mark the Grain Line With Pins" and Barbara Weiser on "How I Mark the Grains by Pulling A Thread." Mrs. Kenneth Gross told how to use the sewing machine and Jody Bally demonstrated "How I Mark Lines For Stitching."

Refreshments were served by Janet Newcomer, Wanita Gann, Alice Price and Kathy Gronberg.

LOVELY FLOWERS

Carl Hasselberg, the energetic manager of the Wilbur Lumber Company, has been outstanding in his endeavor to beautify the grounds surrounding his office with gay flowers.

We hope again to see this beautiful display of petunias.

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Tell Engagement News of Grandson of Charles Easley

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Colette Rieben, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Rieben of Teheran, Iran, to Kenneth E. Easley, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Easley of Marshalltown, Ia., and grandson of Charles Easley of Dixon.

Miss Rieben was graduated from Berea college, Berea, Ky., in 1947 and is doing graduate work for her master's degree at the University of Iowa.

Mr. Easley is a graduate of Marshalltown high school and is in his senior year in the college of commerce at the University of Iowa.

The wedding will take place in June.

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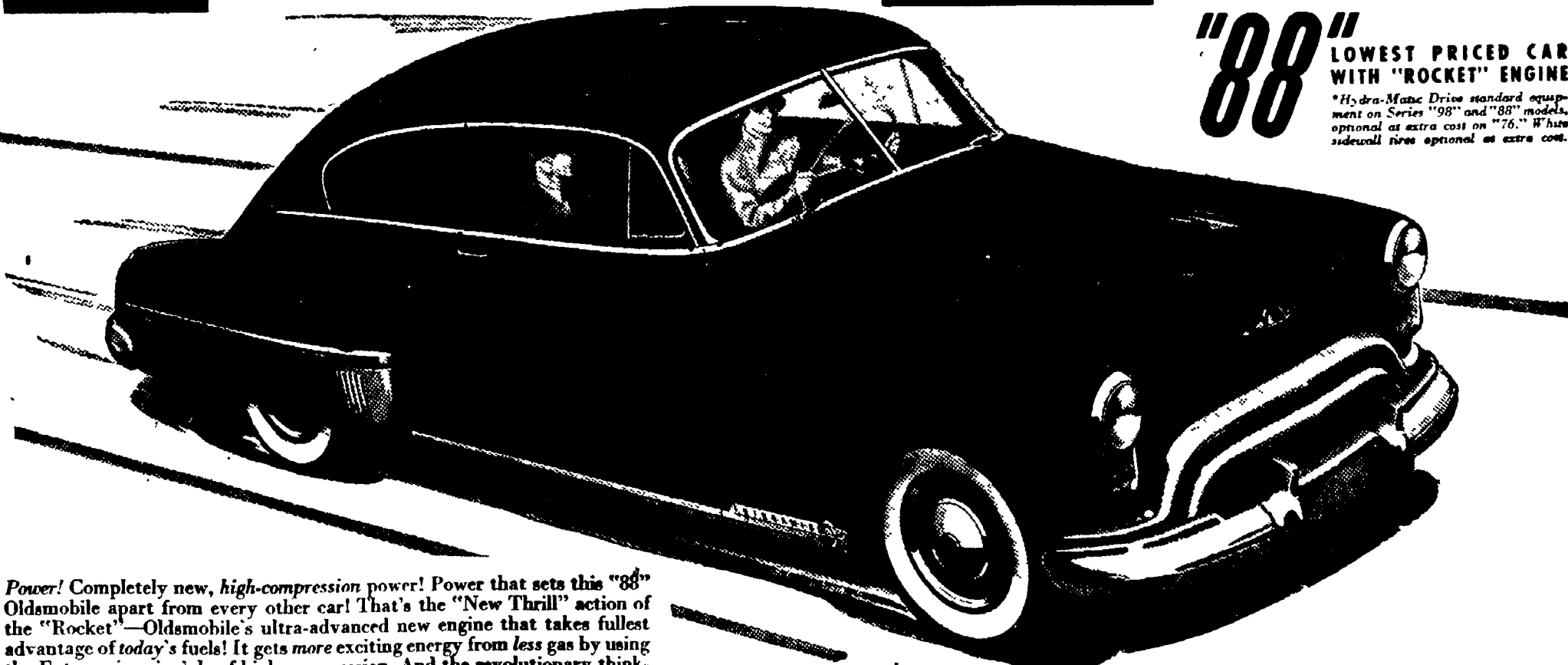
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Dixon Beautiful

The Dixon Beautiful committee of the local Woman's club wishes to bring a special salute to two of the club members—Mrs. Charles Walgreen and Mrs. John Ralston. These two women have taken time from their busy lives to bring such outstanding beauty into their homes that the Garden clubs of Illinois have chosen these two estates as worthy of being included in their garden tours this week.

Hazelwood

In 1929 the Walgreens acquired Hazelwood—it was a far cry from the beautiful spacious well-landscaped place you will see tomorrow. Erosion was taking its toll; some trees were in splendid shape, others needed much attention. Wild flowers found a natural habitat there and the view of the river was superb; the Lincoln cabin was there and the old barn was in its original form. The Walgreen plan was to leave that which was good and to add improvements.

When one talks to Mrs. Walgreen and hears her enthusiasm for growing things one can almost realize why any plant would be happy to bloom for her. The daffodils for which her estate is especially famous are through blooming but now as she expresses it there is a carpet of blue and white—bluebells, trillium, wild plums, Hawthorne, wild crab apple, and lilacs. The tulips and the early phlox are ablaze with color.

Hazelwood's tree peonies are just bursting into their early pink and white splendor. This type of peony has more of a woody stem which makes it hold up better and it appears more like a shrub. The magenta bloom of the "money" plant may be seen—it develops the so-called "silver dollars" used in winter bouquets. The myrtle is in bloom around the "Cliff House" and the Christmas roses are a fresh green as they make a profuse growth at this time of year in preparation for their blooming season from November to April. Mrs. Walgreen now has 200 of them which she is dividing and planting in various places throughout the grounds. They bloomed all last winter even through the long icy spell.

Reynoldswood

Mrs. Ralston, in spite of her busy life as a successful business executive has taken time for her home and for much travel and as she traveled she made a "hobby" of picking up old and unusual pieces for furnishing her home. As you visit her home tomorrow you will see her spacious living room and porch. A great deal of the furniture there has come from France and Italy. Especially you should notice the two "banisters" just inside the door—these were originally altar rails for a Roman church. It is Mrs. Ralston's ability to see a use for the unusual which makes her home a novel and interesting place.

Some 25 years ago the French provincial house was built in what had been Adelheid Park. The winding drive up to the house has been left in exactly the same shape and width as it was in the old carriage days of the park which was the property of George Page before the Reynolds family made it their home. A number of trees have been cut down, especially near the river so that the family might enjoy a river view.

The Reynoldswood peonies, for which the garden is famous, are not in bloom as yet but the lilac hedges of white, lavender and purple are in full splendor. Wild plums and crabs and the late wild flowers gives spots of beauty throughout the wooded area. The Casino by the pool and the long lawn expanse are views to remember.

So, tomorrow, and Monday because two Dixon women had a vision of beauty this community will be a mecca for buses and carloads of garden-lovers from all of northern Illinois. From 11 to 5 these people will be following the Garden club markers showing the way to these two outstanding estates—the only ones west of the Fox River valley which will be visited during the week.

Mrs. A. O. Figge of River Forest is the president of the Garden Club of Illinois that is heading this tour. Mrs. Raymond Knotts, well known in Dixon, is the publicity chairman of the club.

PHIDIAN ART CLUB
The Phidian Art Club will meet Tuesday, May 17th with Mrs. Z. W. Moss, 811 North Galena avenue. The program on "Byzantine Art and Architecture" will be given by Miss Ruth Morris.

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Presbyterian to Hear Mrs. Hedges

Mothers and daughters of the Presbyterian church will have as their principal speaker at their Mother and Daughter Banquet, Tuesday, May 17th, at 6:30 p. m. Mrs. Lillie B. Hedges, a former teacher and missionary in the Belgian Congo. A native of Illinois, Mrs. Hedges is a graduate of Eureka college, and College of Missions in Indianapolis, Ind. She retired from active missionary service in 1946.

Mrs. Hedges was a missionary to Belgian Congo, Africa, from 1912 when the Mission of Disciples of Christ was very young, till her retirement in 1947. During those years, she saw the number of Christians increase to 80,000 as the work spread from the first location at Bolenge on the Congo River where it crosses the equator, to seven new areas along the tributaries of that river. Her husband, Charles F. Hedges, had served four years in Congo before their marriage during his furlough. Upon their return to the field they were first stationed at Longa where Mr. Hedges worked at draining the swamp, building and improving the station in addition to preaching and teaching in the villages of the area. Mrs. Hedges' work was with the women and in the schools.

Later they were sent to Moneika when the station was still new. For more than a year, Mrs. Hedges was the only white woman on the station. Here they served for many years, giving special interest to the schools and the educational system. Both worked at translations of reading and study books into the native Lunkundu.

Mrs. Hedges returned to the United States in 1933 soon after the death of Mr. Hedges, for their furlough was long overdue. Again in 1940 she went out to Congo for a last term of invaluable service at Moneika during the war years when it was impossible to secure transportation for furloughs or new missionaries to the field.

Mrs. Hedges is a cousin of Mrs. Omer Speaker of Sterling. Mrs. Speaker is Mrs. Clinton Utter's mother.

Chicago Judge Dixon Speaker

Judge Samuel W. Greene of Chicago gave a talk on the importance of Sunday School influence on the youth of today in an address under the auspices of the Sunday School of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, Dixon, in the church edifice last Tuesday. Judge Greene appealed to his listeners to help place in children the obedient respect for law and order that will successfully combat the forces of evil that seem so rampant today.

Judge Greene quoted statistics showing the alarming condition that 60% of the present day juvenile crimes are committed by children from well-to-do homes.

Many Sunday School workers from neighboring towns were included in the large audience.

GARDEN DEPT. TO MEET
The Garden Department of the Dixon Woman's Club will meet Monday, May 16th, at 2 p. m. at the Loveland Community House to complete plans for the Flower Show to be given June 9th and 10th. Mrs. W. B. Richardson will tell of her recent trip through Southern Gardens including Williamsburg, Jamesport and Washington.

A good attendance is desired.

SOUTH DIXON CLUB

The South Dixon Community Club will meet Wednesday, May 18th, at 2 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Noah Beard, 424 Galena avenue. Mrs. William Remmers is co-hostess.

MONDAY NIGHTERS NEWS

The scramble supper planned by the Monday Nighters has been postponed until May 23 at which time it will be held with Mrs. Frank Ortgiesen. Picnic rules will be observed.

Beta Sigma Phi Will Give Ball

Members of Gamma Mu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority met Tuesday evening at the Loveland Community House and during the business meeting heard a report given by Mrs. Millie Shannahan on plans for the coming dance. This dance which is to be given May 27th by the sorority for the public will be in the form of a 10th Anniversary Ball and will be at the Elks Club. Tickets were distributed by Alice Thomson, chairman. The motion was made and carried to take a portion of the profits from this dance and donate them to the Youth Center.

It was also decided to have a table at the coming Flower Show, the theme to be "A Child's Birthday Party." A group of ten girls volunteered to march on Memorial Day with the small children.

The program was presented by Marie Krahenbuhl and centered around her talk, "Thoughts, Words and Deeds Serving Mankind." She concluded her talk by playing a recording of Lincoln's Gettysburg Address.

Wa-Wo-Kye Club Honors Members

Wa-Wo-Kye club members held an all day meeting with Mrs. Doris Turnbull on Thursday. They enjoyed a scramble luncheon at noon at which the table centerpiece was a birthday cake that had been baked by the hostess for those having recent birthdays.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. John Stanley. All repeated the Lord's Prayer at the close of the meeting. Birthday gifts were received from Secret Pals by those having recent birthdays and a gift was awarded to the past president, Mrs. Minnie Gerdes.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. John Stanley, Jr. of Rock Falls on June 8.

Mother-Daughter Banquet Held at Methodist Church

The Mother-Daughter banquet of the First Methodist church of Dixon was held Tuesday evening. Many enjoyed the banquet and the program that followed.

Program

The following program was presented:

Concert. 6:00 p. m.—Sunday School orchestra in the auditorium.

Mrs. C. F. Johnston, Jr., toastmistress.

Greetings—Miss Minet Wagner, president of the WSCS.

Pledge to Daughters—In unison.

Pledge to Mothers—In unison.

Vocal solo—Miss Carol, Jean Jean Spinden, accompanied by Mrs. Zael Spinden.

Piano solo—Miss Jeanne Johnston.

Narration—Mrs. Harold Huffman; flute accompaniment, Miss Eileen Huffman.

Recitation to Janice—Mrs. Blair Rittersbach.

Vocal solo—Miss Karen Krug, accompanied by Mrs. Walter Krug.

Piano solo—Mrs. Archie Brown.

Piano solo—Miss Beverly Brown.

Choral Reading, led by Miss Hazel Hecker—Mrs. Bollender and Pat; Mrs. J. Starks and Lois; Mrs. Gordon Bennett and Joan Mrs. Melvin Sweeney and Joyce; Mrs. L. Wadsworth and Lou Ann; Miss Nancy Stanfield.

Vocal numbers—Mrs. Francis Jennings, Miss Jean Jennings.

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	Open	Close	Close
	Today	Yesterday	Year Ago
WHEAT	2.23 1/2	2.24 1/2	2.45 1/2
May	1.97 1/2	1.97 1/2	2.30 1/2
July	1.96 1/2	1.96 1/2	2.30 1/2
Dec.	1.97 1/2	1.97 1/2	2.30 1/2
CORN	1.35 1/2	1.35 1/2	2.29 1/2
May	1.33 1/2	1.33 1/2	2.14 1/2
July	1.32 1/2	1.32 1/2	1.93 1/2
Dec.	1.17 1/2	1.16 1/2	1.68 1/2
OATS	48	48 1/2	1.16 1/2
May	42 1/2	42 1/2	84
July	42 1/2	42 1/2	84
Dec.	43 1/2	43 1/2	84 1/2
RYE	1.41 1/2	1.41 1/2	—
May	1.43 1/2	1.43 1/2	—
July	1.44	1.44	—
SOYBEANS	2.36	2.37	4.06
May	2.25 1/2	2.26	3.98
July	2.08 1/2	2.09 1/2	3.03
LARD	11.92	11.85	22.90
May	11.97	11.90	23.20
July	—	12.00	23.40
Oct.	—	12.02	23.00

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Supplement	2.90
16% Melary	6.10
Meat Scraps	6.35
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Soybean Meal	4.00
Linsed Meal	3.90
Cottonseed Meal	3.50
Brn	3.50
Midds	3.40
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Chicago Livestock

(By The Associated Press)

Salable hogs	200, total 2,200
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barrows, gilts, sows 25-50 higher;	
clothing top 19.00 paid for num-	
bers; bulk good and choice 180-	
270 lb 18.50@19.00 at close; 280-	
300 lb 18.00@18.50; 325-375 lb	
17.25@18.00; sows under 400	
16.00@16.75; 425-500 lb 15.25@	
16.00; heavier weights as low as	
14.00.	

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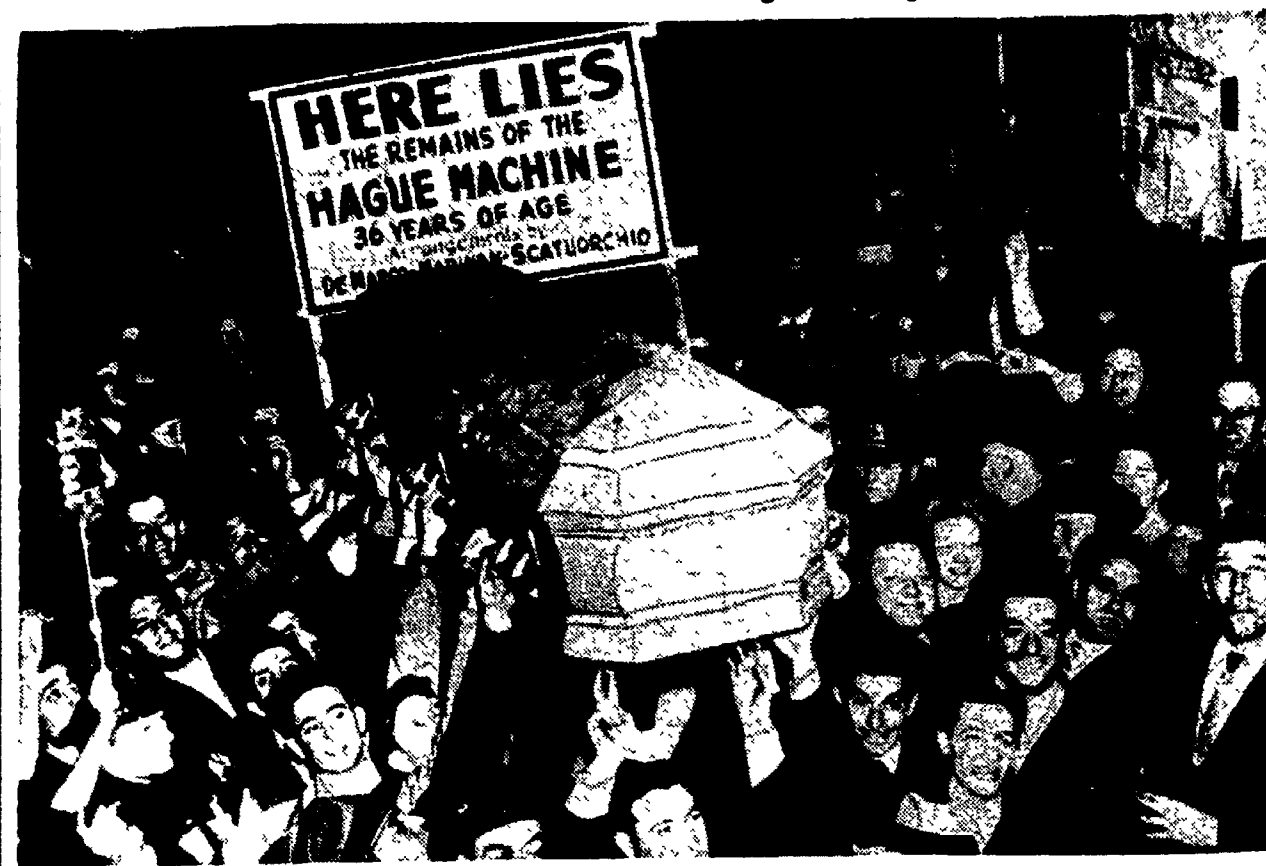
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Mock Burial for Jersey City Ex-Boss



A jubilant crowd throngs the Jersey City, N. J., city hall for a mock burial after former Mayor Frank Hague's undisputed 36-year rule over Jersey City politics was smashed. Boss Hague's five hand-picked candidates for the Municipal Commission were crushingly defeated by the fusion ticket. (NEA Telephoto).

Mother-Daughter Banquet Held in Polo Thursday

Hold Reception for District Head of Rebekah Lodge

Polo — A reception for District President Mrs. Marguerite Popp, Polo, and for all past-presidents of District 8, was held at Marco Polo Rebekah lodge Thursday evening, with approximately 60 present from Polo, Dixon, Sterling, Rock Falls, Morrison, Lee Center and Paw Paw.

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Says Eisler Escape Shows Some Laxity

Washington, May 14—(AP)—Rep. Nixon (R-Calif.) said today Attorney General Clark owes congress an explanation of justice department "laxity" in the escape of Communist leader Gerhart Eisler.

Nixon is a member of the house un-American activities committee, which once called Eisler the top Communist in this country. But since a senate judiciary subcommittee already is working on legislation to curb operations of Reds and subversives, Nixon suggested that it call Clark for an explanation.

Senator McCarran (D-Nev.), head of the senate group, indicated meanwhile that he's having his own difficulties with the justice department.

Newsman told McCarran there have been reports that the department had refused to cooperate with the subcommittee staff in making "available information about persons the group wants to question."

"It has not developed to a point where I can call it trouble," McCarran replied. "We have been trying to get cooperation and we shall continue to try."

When a newsman said McCarran's remarks seemed to indicate dissonance between the subcommittee and the justice department, the Nevada senator agreed that they did indicate that.

"I don't believe I ought to say anything more about it," he added. Congress was only one source of difficulty confronting Clark's department. It ran into a couple of others in its efforts to apprehend Eisler as he headed into Southampton, England, aboard the Polish liner Batory.

Aly Khan Leaves to Visit His Children

Cannes, France, May 14—(AP)—Prince Aly Khan left today for Switzerland, presumably to visit his two children. Actress Rita Hayworth, scheduled to wed the prince on May 27, did not accompany him.

Informants at the prince's chateau said he would spend about three days in Switzerland and then go to Paris, leaving for the Riviera about May 24. The children in Switzerland are those of the prince and his divorced English wife, Joan Yarde-Buller.

In Paris, the newspaper Paris-Press printed a picture of what it said was one of the 300 wedding invitations sent out by the couple. It read: "Miss Rita Hayworth and Prince Aly Khan invite you to their wedding at the Chateau de L'Horsion, Golfe, Juan, on the 27th of May, 1949, at 1:15 p. m."

Twelve Hurt When Race Stands Fall

Indianapolis, May 14—(AP)—Twelve persons were reported injured today when a section of a grandstand collapsed at the Indianapolis motor speedway.

The stand, an old wooden structure on the southwest turn of the big two and a half mile track, was crowded with approximately 5,000 fans watching the opening of qualification trials for the May 30th race.

Fire fighting and other emergency equipment was dispatched to the scene from the pagoda, the center of speedway activities.

PERSONALS

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S. H. Gann of Gap Grove was a visitor in Dixon today.

Mrs. Martin Okland of Harmon will enter the Perry Memorial hospital, Princeton, Monday evening. She will undergo surgery Tuesday.

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Attorney George Nichols spent Friday in Chicago where he represented a client in a court hearing.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fordham will leave for a June holiday. They will motor west and expect to visit the Grand Canyon and other interesting points during their trip. Mr. Fordham is cashier at the City National bank.

NOTICE

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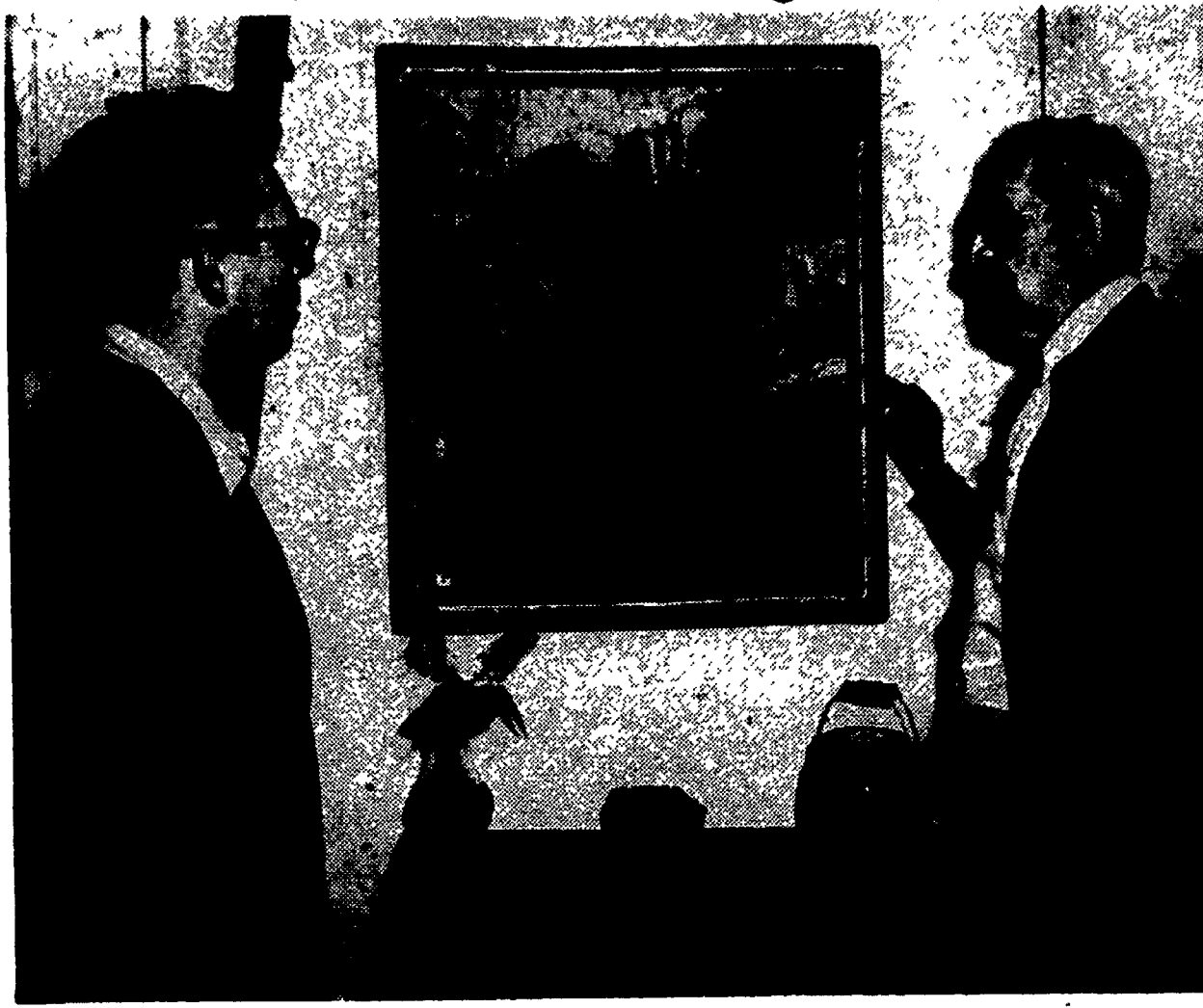
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Mathie Lietz (left) is shown with John Nolte (right) examining a painting on display at the William Byron Studios at Grand Detour. Starting Sunday, May 15 a number of paintings by Grand Detour artists will be on display at the studios. The public is invited to attend the salon. The salon will close Sunday, May 29th.

Chinese Red Troops Near Shanghai Goal

Shanghai, May 14—(AP)—The Red drive today thundered nearer Shanghai, which listened anxiously to the ceaseless din of artillery fire.

Nationalist lines were bent back on the crucial Woosung front, 20 to 25 miles northwest of Shanghai. Woosung's fall would cut off all escape from the metropolis by sea.

Government troops fell back to second lines of defense. They were fighting stubbornly. Heavy reinforcements were rushed up.

The Red tide also curled nearer Shanghai on the southwest, threatening to engulf Lungwha airport. This is the city's last air link with the outside.

Progress Slowed Communist progress appeared slower on this front. The Reds were believed to be about 15 miles from the airport, which is five miles south of the city proper.

(Pilots previously reported seeing small arms fire only 10 miles from the airport. Either this was a minor clash or the garrison was refusing to concede the Communists were that close to Lungwha).

The garrison communiqué said the defenders of the northwest were forced back on the Kunshang, Taichang and Kaiting salients. Kiating is 18 road miles west of Woosung. The commune asserted the Reds suffered 1,000 casualties.

Destroyers Anchored

The U. S. navy continued to run its landing craft ferry down the Whangpoo river to Shanghai from Woosung. Two U. S. destroyers were anchored at Woosung.

Despite the Red lines closing on Shanghai, there have been no evacuees lately to the waiting navy ships.

Commercial planes still landed and took off from Lungwha airport. Standby planes were ready to fly out key personnel.

Is Moscow Headed for a Live and Let-Live Policy?

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

Paul G. Hoffman, director of the Economic Co-operation administration, told an Indiana university audience the other day that "our way of life will be secure if Europe is strong and free in 1952."

Mr. Hoffman's prediction of course is based on the fact that the Marshall Plan is due to wind up its operations in 1952. He said the land had "stopped the Kremlin cold" in western Europe, and that if recovery is accomplished by then "it is more than probable that the Kremlin will decide on a policy of 'live and let live.'"

That's a prophecy which invites analysis, and since the E. C. A. director isn't here to do it for us, let's take a look at it ourselves. As I see it the position is this:

It's true that the "cold war" aspect of the Communist offensive has been halted along the Stettin-Adriatic line through central Europe. However, the revolutionary tactics of Communists in western Europe countries—especially the powerful French and Italian parties—continue in full force. They will gain control of their governments if it is humanly possible.

Sweep Southward Meantime, out in the far east Communist armies are sweeping Korea is Communist, and is reaching for control of the southern half of that strategic island. Burma, Indonesia and other Asiatic countries are torn by Communist uprisings. As the signs now read the orient is likely to become increasingly a theatre of conflict between communism and democracy.

This being so, what basis do we find for predicting that our way of life will be secure if Europe is strong and free in '52?

Well, for one thing, while the far east might in time become the decisive theatre in the battle of the isms, the fact remains that the western world's greatest immediate threat comes from Europe. True, that threat has lessened measurably with the success of the Marshall plan. But the danger still exists and will continue to exist, despite western Europe's recovery, until some further great development takes place.

What new development could alter this grim picture? There seems to be only one answer to that at this reading. It would be the failure of Communism to hold the peoples of the various countries which have been absorbed into the Soviet bloc. That is to say, the rejection of Communism by these peoples.

Idealistic Concept What reason is there to suppose they might reject it? The answer is that present day Com-

munist isn't the text-book brand of the ism which many folk had thought it to be. As Mr. Hoffman says, "basically, Communism is a rather idealistic concept, carrying with it connotations of sharing and universal brotherhood. In its pure form, almost the worst thing that can be said about Communism is that it won't work."

However, times have changed. Today's Communism isn't the old brand. It is totalitarian Bolshevism. This fact gradually has become clear since the world war, as Communism has taken over country after country in eastern Europe. There are plenty of indications that there is dissatisfaction among the peoples of the satellites.

Whether that dissatisfaction could develop to a point where those countries might reject communism remains to be seen. If and when that happens, the democratic way of life may be secure. Pending that contingency, the security would seem to be doubtful.

Quantities On Hand The Times said the Russians reported readiness to ship substantial quantities this month, including all of the coal and some timber. The coal would be received by the United States, but turned over to west Berlin, it added, along with a third of the wheat and all of the rye received.

The Soviet Union had made a prior shipment, valued at \$2,340,000 computed at pre-war German exchange rates, and the second consignment would be valued at \$2,730,000, the Times said. It added that American authorities estimate the second deliveries would leave a balance of \$8,360,000 due from Russia in goods.

CARD OF THANKS I wish to thank friends and relatives for flowers, cards and other gifts and visits while I was in hospital.

Wm. F. Meyer. Adv't

North China proper, between the fabulous Great Wall and the Yangtze River, lies in latitudes corresponding to those of the United States.

baseballer Chuck Klein bore the brunt of the left tosses. He was hurt twice.

McAlester, Okla., May 11—(AP)—The usual procedure of man hit ball was just about reversed in a Class D Sooner State league game last night.

It was all ball hit man. As Ardmore beat McAlester 7-5.

Eight batsmen were hit by pitched balls. Officials believe this is a new league record and possibly surpasses anything written into record books in other leagues.

Six Ardmore players absorbed bruise-making pitches. Second

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CARDS AND PIRATES ARE FEUDIN' AND FIGHTIN'

Okay, Boys, Take Shower Out-of-Doors

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.
New York—May 14—(AP)—The Waterbury (Conn.) Timers of the Class B Colonial league figure they made a real splash at Poughkeepsie the other night... It was raining and Waterbury was trying to stall until the game would be called before five innings could be completed... After taking one pitch in the fifth, Larry Kelcher claimed his belt had broken and went to the bench for a replacement... Kelcher took so long that the umpire ordered the Poughkeepsie pitcher to start throwing... Larry took his place but continued to argue with the ump... Then the Poughkeepsie flinger tried to sneak over a quick pitch and Kelcher belted it for a home run... The Popski boys got even though... When the game finally was called and the Timers raced through the downpour to the clubhouse, they found the door locked.

CHARLEY MUTTER, Michigan groundskeeper, and his crew laid 7,200 yards of new sod in Michigan's football stadium in 540 man-hours of work. That's an example for the Michigan players who will be laying opponents on that sod next fall.

REPORT IN WILMINGTON, DEL., says Boley Daniewicz, ex-Notre Dame quarterback, will be Clipper Smith's backfield coach at Lafayette next fall. Boley played for the Wilmington Clippers last season.

Midgets Go at Rockford Next Tuesday

Rockford — May 14 — The midget auto racers, aristocrats of the small track racing fraternity will invade the Rockford Speedway for their 1949 inaugural Tuesday evening, May 17. Time trials will begin at 6:30 p.m. and the races at 8:30 p.m. (CDT).

A field of the biggest names in the business are expected to be on hand, including, Aaron Woodard of St. Charles, Ill., winner of the 100 lap championship race at Chicago in the 1949 winter indoor season; Johnnie Parsons, Van Nuys, Calif., a consistent winner both here and on the west coast who will drive his new Offy; Mel Hansen, Alhambra, Calif., with a car owned by Rex Mays, Indianapolis 500 mile champion; Kenny Eaton, Indianapolis, and Johnnie Tolan of Denver driving two Offys owned by Jim Peterkin, of California; Eddie Haddad of Los Angeles and Henry Banks of the same city driving their own Offenhauser creations; and, if he can be ready, Teddy Duncan of Miami, Florida.

The Speedway track has been beautified this year, including infield, stands and parking area and it is figured that the widened track may easily result in new midget track records at this meet.

Cub Attendance Down in 1949

Chicago, Ill., May 14—(Special)—The Chicago Cubs have drawn a total of 140,162 paid admissions to their first eight home games of the season, through Sunday, May 1, when the club left for their first Eastern swing of the year.

Last year, the Cubs drew 163,928 paid for eight games, but had balmy weather in 1948. For example, the Sunday, May 1 game (1949) here against St. Louis was played between showers and drew 24,383—a remarkable crowd considering the weather. But with no showers, and sunshine instead, the Cubs and Cardinals would have attracted 40,000-plus to Wrigley Field.

The next home game at Wrigley Field for the Cubs are scheduled Tuesday and Wednesday, May 17 and 18 against Brooklyn. Ticket Manager George Doyle is anticipating crowds of at least 20,000 for both days.

Dike Eddleman Athlete of Year

Champaign, Ill., May 14—(AP)—Dike Eddleman last night was declared winner of the 10th annual "Athlete of the Year" contest sponsored by the Daily Illini, student publication at the University of Illinois.

To Name Team Pin Champ Tonight

Otto's Tap Crashes Top Ten Friday

STANDINGS

Max Johns (DR)	3081
Shaw Printing (DR)	3009
Fater Pipers (DR)	2987
Wayne Feed (DR)	2981
B. & A. (DR)	2972
District D (DR)	2965
Rogers Printing (DR)	2963
Otto's Tap (DR)	2963
Hey Brothers (DR)	2952
Shamrock (LL)	2951

Standings in the Men's Handicap bowling tournament remained comparatively unruffled last night at Detweiler's Recreation alleys with only Otto's Tap mustering enough pins to wedge into the select ten.

Tonight is the final round for the team event with the doubles and singles events starting Monday. Bowling will start at 7 p. m. and continue on an hourly schedule. Schedules will be published Monday.

Leigh McGinnis and John Lange put on a strike spree to hoist the Tap into seventh in the standings. The Tap has 2963. McGinnis accounted for 653 while Lange had a 633 both with their handicaps.

Underwood Service, captained by Robert Hoyle hit 2941 for eleventh place and Miller Chrysler with 2932 and Warden's K. C. with 2894 proved to be the only other teams to crash into the money group. Harmon Township, with a 2835 was occupying the last paying position.

Hermie Koehler finished his second game with seven strikes for a 250 and continued with five more in his final game for a 218 to give him a three-game series of 640 scratch.

The first 30 places in the team standing will share awards ranging from \$115 for the high and \$10 for the low.

Tonight's final shift:

7:00 p. m.
Machine Shop I.N.U. (DR).
Diamond "H" (LL).
The Keg (DR).
Grand Knights K. C. (DR).
Freeman Shoes 2 (LL).
9:00 p. m.
Myers Royal Blue (DR).
Dixon Recreation (DR).
Guards, K. C. (DR).
Considine Chevies (DR).
Secretaries, K. C. (DR).
Friebe & Sons (LL).

Four Defending Titlists in Illinois Track, Field Meet

CHAMPAIGN, ILL., May 14—Four 1948 individual champions will try to make it two state titles in a row in the 55th annual Illinois Interscholastic track and field meet at University of Illinois Memorial stadium here Friday and Saturday, May 20-21.

Barring upsets in district qualifying competition, the championship field next weekend will include defending titlists Bob Diouhy, LaGrange, discus; Jerry Kats, Peoria Woodruff, 120-yard high hurdles; Stacy Siders, Tri-City (Buffalo), 880-yard run; and Wayne Nast, Belleville, 440-yard run.

Last year Bill Konrad, Oak Park; Roscoe Harrell, Waukegan; and Dick Patterson, Rushville, failed to repeat state honors they had won in 1947. A leg injury prevented Konrad from defending his 100 and 220 titles and he tried the quarter-mile without success. Patterson did not place, but Harrell, with whom he had tied in 1947, managed a tie for second in high jump for the only honor gained by a defending champion last season.

Kats, Siders, and Nast should be tough to dethrone, but Diouhy may run into misfortune similar to Konrad's. The LaGrange husky, who grabbed the discus title with a toss of 152 feet 6 1/2 inches last year, was sidelined by illness recently and managed only a fifth place in the Mooseheart relays last weekend.

Kats won the high hurdles in 15.3 seconds on a sloppy track last spring, and has the state's best time in the event this season at 14.8 seconds. One of his chief competitors again is Jim Philbee, Peoria Manuel, who was second to Kats in the state meet a year ago and has been clocked in 15 seconds this season. Philbee and a Peoria neighbor, Don DuBois of Central, third and fourth, respectively, in low hurdles in 1948, are leading contenders for that crown.

Siders put on a sizzling finish to nip Jack Hagan, Riverside, up 11,251 points in the campus poll. Second was Jim Marks, basketball player, who had 8,978.

L-P Wins 13-1, on 13 Hits, on Friday the 13th

LaSalle, Ill., May 14—(AP)—LaSalle-Peru high school slammed out 13 runs and 13 hits to beat St. Bede 13 to 1 in a Friday the 13th baseball game yesterday.

Vince Foster Flattened in First Round

New York, May 14—(AP)—The Vince Foster boom is dead and the Charlie Fusari booster club is beating the drums.

Fusari eliminated the ring's latest "Golden Boy" from the picture when he stopped the young Omaha, Neb., welterweight last night in 2:26 of the first round at Madison Square Garden.

Foster was on the deck three times, for counts of two, eight and eight, before Referee Ruby Goldstein stopped it. Ruby said he stopped it to save Foster from further punishment.

It was a shocker for most of the crowd of 14,193 which paid \$66,082. The fight had been regarded as a toss-up. Even the batters had it a "pick 'em" scrap, meaning take your pick and lay 6 to 5.

Foster, the Bible-quoting belter who was hailed as the "New Rocky Graziano" after he flattened Tony Pellone, was a sitting pigeon for Fusari, a rangy stand-up boxer with a surprisingly good punch.

There was talk of matching Foster with Rocky Graziano in Chicago, before the fight. It still might happen but he was in over his head with Fusari.

TO MEET AT "ARCH"
Members of the Reynolds Wire team of the Midwest league are to meet at the "Arch" on Galena avenue at 12:30 p. m. Sunday for their trip to West Brooklyn. Manager "Flash" Fordham said today.

Only about 500 people live in Cahokia, oldest town in Illinois.

Who Said No Pitching?



Everybody agreed the Giants lacked pitching, but Leo Durocher worked Sheldon Jones, Clint Hartung, Larry Jansen and Monte Kennedy, left to right, in rotation, and before you knew it the New York Nationals were on top and had equaled the longest winning streak the Polo Grounders put together all last season. Dave Koslo is the relief worker.

Weatherman May Figure at Pimlico

By GEORGE BOWEN
Baltimore, May 14—(AP)—The weatherman called things closer today than the colts figure to be in the 83rd running of the Preakness at Pimlico.

The forecast is for cloudy and a "chance of thundershowers" late in the afternoon. Pressed for more information about the likelihood of rain, the bureau promised it won't fall until "after the race" at 3:15 p. m. Central Standard Time.

That was cutting it about as fine as the differences appeared to be among the 10 probable starters. It was viewed as a wide open race with almost everyone trying to guess "who'll be the one to beat Ponder."

The Calumet Farm colt is in much the same position Olympia was before last week's derby. He probably should be the favorite but somebody probably will beat him is the way the turf talk was going.

The first "somebody" turned to is Greentree's Capot, the horse which ran Olympia into the ground only to have Ponder come on to grab the derby swag. There'll be little surprise if Capot is installed the favorite on the assumption he'll save a little more for the stretch run of the mile and three-sixteenths.

Being touted next is Isidor Bieber's Palestinian, the derby third finisher. The name of Jockey Eddie Arcaro, one of racing's great riders, replaces that of Headley Woodhouse on Palestinian and many think it will make a difference.

COUGHLIN'S CORNER

By CLIFF

THIS NEWSPAPER will join others throughout this nation in the balloting for the baseball All-Star game this year. Voting will begin June 1. Watch for the ballot and get on top-with-your favorites.

DAVE HELMICK, Dixon, who provided us with the dope on the Detroit Mich., handicapper, reminded us yesterday that the slide-rule Derby prognosticator came through with three of the first four horses.

IF YOU'LL REMEMBER, this gent, with a specially constructed slide rule which had factors for just about everything that could happen on a race track, picked Palestinian to win, Capot to place, and Old Rockport to show. He eliminated Olympia from the running. And what happened?

INCIDENTALLY Dave also came up with an interesting item about a high school ball pitcher from Vermontville high school near Lansing, Mich.

With scouts from Chicago, New York, Boston, Cincinnati and Pittsburgh in the stands, this 170-pound youngster hurled a no-hit no-run game. He struck out 20 of the 21 men to face him and made the 21st putout himself on a ground ball.

There's no record of how many scouts were killed in the rush.

THAT'S NOT ALL. In three years at Vermontville, this lad has pitched seven other no-hit games, five one-hitters, two two-hitters and two three-hitters.

In his entire high school career he has never allowed more than three hits in any one ball game and has won the 17 games he's pitched.

THE CITY OF LaSALLE on May 25 will dedicate what it describes as "the best lighted softball park in the state."

Recreation Director Sam McCartney said that the system cost slightly less than \$3,000, a saving of approximately \$4,100 in comparison with what the expense would have been had the installation been made under contract. The electrician's union donated labor equivalent to \$1,500.

DOUG MILLS, director of athletics at the U. of I., will be the speaker at the annual spring sports banquet to be held at the Princeton high school June 1. The Princeton Quarterback club is the sponsor.

ED WALKER, Princeton high speed merchant, who is booked to cop the dash events at the NCIC meet late this month, is not only fast on the track but he's a whiz-bang with the books. He was recently named valedictorian of the Princeton high senior class.

STANDINGS

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.	Games Behind
New York	14	9	.609	
Boston	12	9	.571	1 1/2
Cincinnati	12	10	.545	2 1/2
Brooklyn	12	11	.522	3 1/2
Philadelphia	11	13	.458	5 1/2
Pittsburgh	11	13	.458	5 1/2
St. Louis	8	12	.400	8 1/2
Chicago	8	13	.385	9 1/2

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.	Games Behind
New York	16	6	.727	
Detroit	13	8	.591	3
Cleveland	10	8	.556	4 1/2
Washington	12	12	.500	5 1/2
Chicago	12	12	.500	5 1/2
Philadelphia	11	13	.458	6 1/2
Boston	9	15	.400	8 1/2
St. Louis	8	15	.385	9 1/2

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS
New York 9, Philadelphia 1 (night).
Boston 3, Brooklyn 5 (ten innings, night).
Pittsburgh 3, St. Louis 2 (night).
Cincinnati 7, Chicago 0 (night).

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Chicago 11, Cleveland 10 (night).
Detroit 7, St. Louis 2 (night).

TOMORROW'S SCHEDULE
NATIONAL LEAGUE
Brooklyn at New York.
Philadelphia at Boston.
St. Louis at Cincinnati (2).
Chicago at Pittsburgh (2).
AMERICAN LEAGUE
Cleveland at Chicago (2).
Detroit at St. Louis (2).
Boston at Washington.
New York at Philadelphia (2).

YESTERDAY'S STARS
BATTING: EDDIE BOCKMAN, PIRATES—Socked ninth inning homer to beat Cardinals, 3-2.
PITCHING: RED LIVERLY, REDS—Twirled 10-hit shutout against Cubs, 7-0.

Frosh-Soph Sixth as Coach Brooks Ends Ohio Career

Ohio — (Special) — Ohio high's frosh-soph squad finished sixth in the Atkinson frosh-soph relays yesterday, scoring 19 1/2 points in the meet won by Sheffield with 46 1/2.

Manlius and Hillsdale tied for second with 38 1/2. Atkinson was fourth, and Tampico fifth, with 25 1/2 and 24 points respectively.

Ohio's point winners were Pete Krapf, second in the 440; Frank Donnelly second in the high and low hurdles; Sam Thieme, third in the shot put; Lewis Slater, third in the 100; and the relay team, fourth in the 440 and fifth in the 880.

Last night's event marked the end of Coach Charlie Brook's coaching career at Ohio high.

Church League Bowlers Honor Choppy Rosbrook

Approximately 175 members of the Dixon Church bowling league attended the wind-up banquet held in the Baptist church last night, an occasion featured by a tribute paid to "Choppy" Rosbrook, founder and president of the league for the past two years.

Rosbrook was presented a gift upon his retirement as league president.

The group elected Don Stauffer president and Les Brotherton secretary-treasurer for the coming season.

Ticket Prices for State Meet

Champaign, Ill., May 14—Admission prices for the 1949 Interscholastic Track and Field championships in Memorial stadium May 20 and 21, were announced today by Albert Willis, executive secretary of the Illinois High School association.

Tickets for persons high school age and under will be 35 cents. All others will be 60 cents. All tax is included and tickets will be honored both for the preliminaries Friday afternoon and finals Saturday morning (May 20-21).

Tickets now are on sale at the Illinois Athletic association ticket office, 102 Illini hall, Champaign.

Garagiola, Rip Sewell Renew 'War'

(By The Associated Press)
The major league "rhubarb" season is in full swing with the St. Louis Cards and Pittsburgh Pirates in the star bout.

Bad feelings first sprouted between the Cards and Buccos the night of April 27 when Stan Rojek was hit twice by a pitched ball, the second time, he was sidelined for over a week. Some of the Pirates thought it wasn't an accident.

Last night it burst forth again when St. Louis' Catcher Joe Garagiola behind the bat in the Rojek "incident", and Pittsburgh Pitcher Rip Sewell collided after a near "beating."

Garagiola, who had hit the dirt a few seconds earlier to escape one of Sewell's pitches, tapped a grounder toward first base. It was the routine comeback from a hitter who wants to even matters with a pitcher.

Sewell came over to cover the bag and bumped into Garagiola, sending him sprawling.

Players of both teams and the field at Pittsburgh but cool heads prevailed before a punch was thrown. Umpire Jock Conlan told Managers Billy Meyer and Eddie Dyer he would clear both benches if order was not restored immediately.

Eddie Bockman's ninth-inning homer off Red Munger gave Pittsburgh a 3-2 edge over St. Louis, breaking a 2-2 tie. Wally Westlake and Ralph Kiner accounted for the other Pitt scores with homers. It was the sixth of the year for Kiner.

The New York Giants and Boston Braves remain tied for the National league lead after the Friday the 13th activities that called for an all-night program.

Larry Jansen, held the Phillies to five hits while Bobby Thomson and Johnny Mize whopped it up to celebrate Manager Leo Durocher's new two-year contract with a 9-1 win.

Thomson contributed a three run homer and a pair of triples to the attack that shelled Russ Meyer in the third. Mize also hit home run No. 5. Bobby Hofman, starting his first game as Giants second baseman, came through with four hits.

The Braves needed 18 hits to shade Brooklyn, 6-5, in 10 innings, squaring Johnny Sain's season record at 3-3. Bob Elliott's single, his fourth hit, with the bases loaded broke up the game in a rally started by Sain's double.

Cincinnati climbed into third place on a 10-hit shutout by Red Lively who notched his third win by blanking Chicago, 7-0. Four double plays by the Reds helped Lively through some tough spots.

Detroit bounced St. Louis, 7-2, behind Ted Gray's pitching and Chicago trimmed Cleveland, 11-10, in a three hour-11-minute slugfest in the only American league action. The other four clubs were not scheduled.

Don Kolloway, a blazing streak since he was sold to Detroit by Chicago, banged out four hits, including three doubles, to lead the Tigers.

Gus Zernial, hitting a sensational pace, doubled in the seventh inning to give the White Sox their winning margin over Cleveland. It was the fourth hit for the rookie outfielder. Early Wynn, acquired by Cleveland last winter with Mickey Vernon for Eddie Robinson, Ed Klieman and Joe Haynes, failed in his second start.

COLLEGE BASEBALL

Oklahoma Aggies 14 Bradley 1
Illinois 5 Indiana 5
Minnesota 3 Northwestern 5
Iowa 3 Wisconsin 2, 10 innings
Michigan 7 Illinois College 3
Illinois Normal 2-0 Southern Illinois 1-2
Michigan 6 Ohio State 6
Purdue 6 Michigan State 3

Since 1920 every Kentucky Derby winner has carried standard weight of 126 pounds.

Durocher's a Popular Guy; He Gets New Two-Year Pact

New York, May 14—(AP)—Leo Durocher today had a vote of confidence as manager of the New York Giants—in the form of a new two-year contract.

Announcement of the latest upturn in Lippy Leo's fortunes came at a Polo Grounds press conference just before last night's game with the Phillies.

Only two weeks ago, the tempestuous little leader was believed by some experts to have reached the end of a rocky road. That was just before Baseball Commissioner A. B. Chandler reinstated him following a brief, summary suspension, the result of the great much-ado-about-nothing altercation with a heckling fan who charged Leo assaulted him.

The suspension ended, the fan's simple assault suit was dropped, the great majority of experts and baseball's cash customers took the Lip's side and — lo and behold! Leo had found a new, amazing popularity.

Then, to cap it all, came the new contract about which Durocher said, "I'm as happy as a man can be!"

Those close to the situation ventured the opinion that the new contract figure would be around \$65,000 and possibly \$70,000 per year. It was believed his present contract called for about \$60,000.

They Hope They'll Grow and Grow



One thousand German brown trout fingerlings were received by members of the Lee County Sportsman's club at Amboy Thursday to provide potential dinners for local fishermen. They were distributed in Franklin Creek, Green river and the Al Meyer pit. Left to right—Frank Gehant, West Brooklyn, George Carr, Frank Sanders, of the department of conservation; Stoddard Danekas, Leo Fuller, district inspector for the conservation department. Bert Harkins and Earl Antoline are on the truck.

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MICHAEL LAZARIS, Administrator
Gerald Jones, Attorney
105 First Street
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April 30, May 7, 14, 1949

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1:00 Teens and Tunes—WGN Handy Man—WBBM 101 Ranch Boys—WLS	12:00 Albert L. Warner—WGN America United—WMAQ American Almanac—WENR
1:30 Living 1949—WMAQ Chicago Singers—WGN American Farmer—WLS	12:30 Univ. of Chicago Round table—WMAQ Amateur Hour—WENR Sunday Symphonies—WBBM
2:00 Country Journal—WBBM Pioneers of Music—WMAQ Poole's Parade—WGN	1:00 Symphonette—WBBM U. S. in World Affairs—WMAQ Ted Lewis Show—WGN
2:30 Cross Section U.S.A.—WBBM Sports Parade—WGN	1:30 University Theater—WMAQ Mr. President—WENR Howard Engle Show—WGN You Are There—WBBM
3:00 Melody Mart—WBBM Your Health Today—WMAQ News—WGN U.S. Marine Band—WLS	2:00 This Changing World—WENR Eddy Howard—WMAQ C. B. S. Symphony—WBBM Juvenile Jury—WGN
3:15 Music—WBBM Metropolitan Handicap—WMAQ	2:30 Dress Up Quiz—WGN One Man's Family—WMAQ National Vespers—WENR
3:30 Saturday at the Chase—WBBM Two Billion Strong—WENR Frank Merriwell—WMAQ Choral Program—WGN	3:00 House of Mystery—WGN Quiz Kids—WMAQ
4:00 Lassie Show—WMAQ News—WGN Preakness—WBBM	3:30 Metropolitan Auditions—WENR Skyway to the Stars—WBBM News—WMAQ Detective Mystery—WGN
4:15 Marshall Kent—WGN Warmwood Forest—WMAQ	4:00 The Shadow—WGN Choraleers—WBBM Robert Merrill—WMAQ Children's Party—WENR
4:30 Matinee at Meadowbrook—WMAQ Baker's Spotlight—WGN Make Way for Youth—WBBM	4:30 Quick as a Flash—WGN Broadway's My Beat—WBBM Quiet Please—WENR Harvest of Stars—WMAQ
4:45 Marriage for the Millions—WENR Naval Air Reserve Show—WGN	5:00 Roy Rogers Show—WGN Catholic Hour—WMAQ Drew Pearson—WENR Family of Stars—WBBM
5:00 News—WMAQ Hodges Quiz—WGN Honey Dreamers Quartet—WENR	5:30 Nick Carter—WGN Ozzie and Harriet—WBBM Greatest Story Ever Told—WENR Dean Martin and Jerry Lewis—WMAQ
5:30 Band of the Week—WIND True of False—WGN Sports—WENR Melody Manor—WBBM N. B. C. Symphony—WMAQ	
5:45 News—WMAQ Jack Baer—WENR	
EVENING	EVENING
6:00 Capitol Comment—WGN Bennett Orfield—WLS Spike Jones—WBBM	6:00 Jack Benny Show—WBBM Richard Diamond—WMAQ The Falcon—WGN
6:15 Mac and Bob—WLS Public Service Program—WBBM Sports Review—WGN	6:30 Mayor of the Town—WGN Amos and Andy—WBBM Phil Harris—WMAQ Curt Massey Show—WENR
6:30 Vic Damone Show—WMAQ Vaughn Monroe Show—WBBM Relax in Time—WLE News—WGN	7:00 Fred Allen Show—WMAQ Adventures of Sam Spade—WBBM Mediation Board—WGN
7:00 Hollywood Star Theater—WMAQ Gene Autry Show—WBBM Twenty Questions—WGN Guest Star—WLS	7:30 Smoke Rings—WGN Lum and Abner—WBBM Henry Morgan Show—WMAQ
7:30 Truth or Consequences—WMAQ Professor Quiz—WBBM Take a Number—WGN Famous Jury Trials—WCFB Hayloft Frolics—WLS	8:00 Under Arrest—WGN NBC Theater—WMAQ The Electric Theater—WBBM Sides of the News—WENR
8:00 Gangbusters—WBBM Life Begins at 80—WGN Little Herman—WCFB Your Hit Parade—WMAQ Barn Dance—WLS	8:15 Louella Parsons—WENR 8:30 Jimmy Fidler—WGN Album of Music—WMAQ Our Miss Brooks—WBBM 8:45 Prelude for Strings—WENR
8:30 Judy Canova—WMAQ Tales of Fatima—WBBM Jamboree—WLS	9:00 Tomorrow's Stars—WGN Life with Luigi—WBBM Hour of Music—WENR Take it or Leave it—WMAQ
9:00 National Barn Dance—WLS Theater of the Air—WGN Dennis Day—WMAQ Sing It Again—WBBM	9:30 It Pays To Be Ignorant—WBBM Secret Mission—WGN Horace Heidt—WMAQ
9:30 The Buccaneers—WLS Grand Old Opry—WMAQ	10:00 Answer Man—WGN News—WENR, WBBM, WMAQ
10:00 News—WMAQ Jim Ameche—WGN Barn Dance—WLS The World Tonight—WBBM	10:15 Norman Barry—WMAQ Skip Farrell—WENR
10:30 Rio Rhythms—WMAQ News—WGN	10:30 News—WGN Dave Garraway Show—WMAQ People's Platform—WBBM
12:00 Night Watch—WIND 1180 Club—WMAQ News—WGN This is the Music—WENR Matinee at Midnight—WBBM	11:00 News—WBBM Handyman's Guide—WGN News—WENR, WMAQ
	11:30 Contracts—WMAQ Flea Arts Quartet—WENR Orchestra—WGN, WBBM

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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Pretty Insect

HORIZONTAL	VERTICAL
14 Depicted insect, the butterfly	1 Drone bee
8 Ready money (comb. form)	2 Mineral rock
12 Boundary (comb. form)	3 Donators
13 Unclosed	4 Its name comes from the pattern on its wings
14 Extent	5 Mimicker
15 Venerate	6 Symbol for cerium
17 Whole	7 Geraint's wife in Arthurian legend
19 Pitcher creature	8 Provides with food
21 Exist	9 Biblical mount
22 Knock	10 Dry, as wine mistakes
24 Promontory	11 Head covering
25 Greek portico	12 Correlative of either
27 Correlative of either	28 Mystic syllable
28 Mystic syllable	29 Palm lily
29 Palm lily	30 Oriental measure
30 Oriental measure	31 Facility
31 Facility	34 Hastened
34 Hastened	36 Irish god of the sea
36 Irish god of the sea	37 Auricle
37 Auricle	38 Horse's gait
38 Horse's gait	41 Asseverate
41 Asseverate	43 Landed property
43 Landed property	45 Pondie
45 Pondie	48 Skin of a beast
48 Skin of a beast	49 Goddess of discord
49 Goddess of discord	51 Born
51 Born	53 Genus of shrubs
53 Genus of shrubs	55 Native of Media
55 Native of Media	56 Beverage

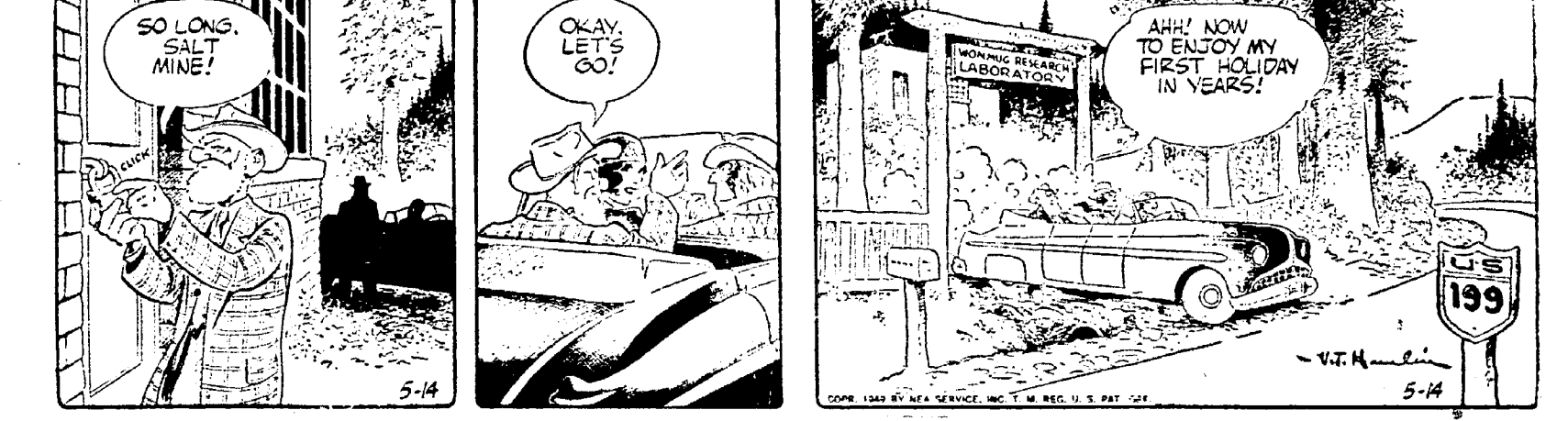
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Statement of Funds for Publication

State of Illinois, County of Lee—ss. Town of Dixon.

OFFICE OF TOWN SUPERVISOR
The following is a statement by A. C. Higby, Supervisor of the Town of Dixon Township in the County and State aforesaid, of the amount of public funds received and expended by him during the fiscal year just closed, ending on the 24th day of March, 1949, showing the amount of public funds received and from what sources received, the amount of public funds expended and for what purposes expended, during fiscal year ending as aforesaid.

The said A. C. Higby, being duly sworn, doth depose and say that the following statement by him subscribed is a correct statement of the amount of public funds on hand at the commencement of the fiscal year above stated, the amount of public funds received, and the sources from which received, and the amount expended, and purposes for what expended, as set forth in said statement.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 29th day of March, 1949.

EDWIN W. MERRICK, JR.,
Justice of the Peace

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND—RECEIPTS
Funds Received and From What Sources Received
Amount of funds on hand at the commencement of the fiscal year, commencing the 27th day of March, 1948: \$22,842.94
Net taxes of 1948 and prior years received during fiscal year 3,000.00
Money borrowed this fiscal year 1,142.48
Other receipts \$26,985.42

TOTAL RECEIPTS \$26,985.42

For What Purpose Expended

ROAD AND BRIDGE EXPENDITURES AND BALANCES \$1,500.00
Wynn Seybert, maintenance of roads 400.00
Robert Lindblom, maintenance of roads 1,200.00
Casper Schulte, maintenance of roads 396.00
Raymond Schulte, maintenance of roads 291.50
Russell Kemp, maintenance of roads 1,022.00

CRUSHING ROCK \$522.10

Wynn Seybert 782.80

Robert Lindblom 900.60

Russell Kemp \$2,205.50

REPAIRS ON MACHINERY \$329.38

Eightmy Equipment Co. 39.78

Peter Miller Garage 158.86

Gardner's Garage 60.00

West End Body Shop 56.55

Warner's Garage 165.55

Dixon One-Stop 124.00

Dixon Welding Shop 385.82

Massey Hardware 2.50

Wesner Imp. Co. 24.62

W. H. Ware, Hardware 20.00

Reuters Service 9.75

Slusher Hardware 4.23

Garage Supply Co. 107.13

Dixon Machine Works 37.40

Bogart Welding Shop \$1,523.57

FENCING \$384.70

Home Lumber Co. 204.79

Wilbur Lumber Co. \$589.49

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND \$28.49

Black and Company, supplies 381.91

Gilbert Hardware Co., dynamite 64.84

Thomas Company, supplies \$316.55

CULVERTS AND BRIDGES \$316.55

Phil. Hopkins, culverts 787.68

Armco Metal Co., culverts 83.84

City and County Steel Co., culverts \$114.83

BLACKTOP \$114.83

Rockford Blacktop Co., blacktop \$157.00

FIRE EXTINGUISHERS \$157.00

James Hill, ex. \$432.55

INSURANCE \$432.55

Welch & Brader, insurance 72.38

Ray Arnold, insurance 283.92

F. X. Newcomer, insurance 46.88

Ken Mall, insurance 130.34

A. L. Wilson, insurance \$87.39

GASOLINE AND OILS \$87.39

Thomas Co. 328.80

Dixon Oil Co. 106.29

Mid-Continent Oil Co. 100.16

Shell Oil Co. 283.23

Smith Oil Co. 134.21

Standard Oil Co. \$269.22

TREASURER'S COMMISSIONS \$269.22

PAID ON ANTICIPATION WARRANTS \$12,343.66

City National Bank \$12,343.66

SALE OF CRUSHED ROCK \$30.00

Red Raffenberger 12.00

H. T. Powell 9.00

Ed Stanley 12.00

Hal Roberts 60.00

Ray Schmit 26.00

J. H. Bennett 202.50

Elks Club 30.00

Hal Roberts 28.00

Novety Iron Works 149.50

Dr. Z. W. Moss \$559.00

ANTICIPATION WARRANT \$3,000.00

City National Bank \$3,000.00

SALE OF OLD MACHINERY \$265.25

John Crabtree, tractor 345.00

George Lindquist, tractor \$610.25

OTHER MONIES PAID IN TO TOWNSHIP \$610.25

From the Auditor of Public Accounts 60.00

City National Bank, dividend on certificate of particip. 32.23

Phil Hopkins, for culvert pipe 200.00

C. F. Settle Co., refund 120.00

Rent from township apartment 120.00

Total monies received from all sources \$26,985.42

Total money paid out 25,425.41

Balance as of March 25, 1949, in road and bridge fund. \$1,560.01

TOWN FUND RECEIPTS, EXPENDITURES AND BALANCES \$11,788.29

Received from the County Treasurer 4,000.00

Anticipation warrant on the City National Bank 25.00

Marshall Garage, second hand car permit 25.00

Frank Hoyle, second hand car permit 25.00

Virgil Franklin, second hand car permit 25.00

Floyd Floto, second hand car permit 25.00

Mr. Clements, second hand car permit 25.00

Glenn Shaver, trailer camp and second hand car permit 35.00

Gale Brothers Circus, circus permit 50.00

Rent from township apartment 100.00

TOTAL RECEIPTS \$16,098.29

EXPENDITURES \$1,133.00

TOWN HALL EXPENSE \$360.00

W. E. Beier rent 126.00

Janitor service 50.00

Dixon Paint Store, window shades 679.47

ELECTION TABLES AND CHAIRS \$250.00

INSURANCE AND BONDS \$250.00

F. X. Newcomer \$3,157.43

WARRANT \$3,157.43

Dixon National Bank, anticipation warrant 150.00

Administration 250.77

Office supplies 203.85

Legal notices \$13,360.52

Total expenditures to March 29, 1949 \$2,737.77

Balance as of March 29, 1949 \$8,027.42

DIXON TOWNSHIP RELIEF FUND EXPENDITURES AND BALANCES \$8,027.42

Balance in the relief fund as of March 26, 1948 9,837.50

Received from the County Treasurer \$17,864.92

TOTAL \$2,335.14

Care of relief cases in the Lee County Infirmary 881.11

Medical care of relief cases 258.35

Hospitalization of relief cases 200.00

Institutional care of relief cases 468.50

Fuel for relief cases 236.65

Clothing for relief cases 620.00

Rent for relief cases 5,668.59

Groceries and milk for relief cases \$10,768.34

Total orders No. 363 to and including No. 597 amounting to the sum of \$7,096.58

Leaving a balance as of March, 1949 \$1,560.01

Total of All Monies in My Charge as of March 29, 1949 \$3,442.39

Road and bridge fund balance \$1,560.01

Town fund balance \$3,442.39

Relief fund balance 7,096.58

TOTAL MONIES IN MY CHARGE AS OF MARCH 29, 1949 \$11,998.98

World's First Freedom of the Press Treaty Is Drawn

New York, May 14—(AP)—The United Nations assembly approved early today the world's first proposed treaty affecting press freedom, and thereby set a problem for the press of the United States.

The pact is entitled "Convention On The International Transmission Of News And The Rights Of Correction."

U.S. delegate Erwin D. Canham, editor of the Christian Science Monitor, told reporters just before dawn the question now is whether the U.S. really wants to join it.

Canham said the U.S. press and news distributors would have to decide.

Slav Block Opposed
Only the Russian-dominated Slav block opposed the pact in a final vote shortly before 1 a.m. ending a marathon debate which began yesterday morning.

The roll call showed 33 nations in favor, six against, 13 abstentions and seven countries absent.

Provisions in 23 articles of the proposed treaty would extend to news, radio and film correspondents in all countries adhering to the convention the rights and privileges they now enjoy in the U.S. and other democracies.

The terms also provide for an international right-of-correction for the first time in history.

Under this, a member country could ask another member government to deliver to news agencies in its territory corrective replies to news the first country considered injurious to it.

The pact will not be open for signatures for several months.

The assembly will take up a broader companion draft treaty on freedom of information at its next session opening in September, and present both for signature after the second pact is completed.

A Long Battle

The U.S. had battled since drafting of the treaty started at a 54-nation conference in Geneva last year to restrict the treaty to terms this country could accept.

Only last night the delegation won withdrawal of an Indian-Chilean amendment that might have affected a clause prohibiting censorship in peacetime except for national defense.

Canham said the final version is acceptable to the government.

"It is the best I could do under the circumstances," he said. "I believe it is safe enough in itself, and probably will be beneficial."

"But it is a modest pact," he added. "There was definitely a question as to how great the benefits would be."

"I personally am still not prepared to say that the cause of freedom of information can best be served by international treaties," Canham continued.

"American newsmen will have to study the text of this convention very carefully and make up their minds on its merits."

The U.S. considers retaining the strict censorship ban its most important achievement in the treaty drafting.

Canham said the delegation also believed many "positive dangers" were averted in a month of committee work before yesterday's debate.

Keeping the right of correction on a voluntary basis was another American victory. A Latin American and Asiatic group pressed strongly to make it compulsory for news agencies to distribute governmental corrections. The U.S. and other opponents said this might convert the agencies into "propaganda media."

The Americans also succeeded in averting Soviet-backed bans on "War Propaganda" and "Fascist Propaganda" which it was feared might open the way for "back door censorship."

Bert Grateful Is Grateful for 'Ad'

Los Angeles, May 14—(AP)—Bert Grateful is grateful today for a classified ad that brought back his wandering dog.

Teal II, a female Springer Spaniel, left home last Wednesday and appeared yesterday at the door of Stanley T. Gray, several miles away. The dog was carrying a copy of the Los Angeles Times in her mouth.

Gray looked through the lost daughter of a New York newsreel one fitting the dog's description, and telephoned Grateful.

Paraguay's New Big Boss Is a Dentist

Asuncion, Paraguay, May 14—(AP)—Felipe Molas Lopez, 50, a dentist, takes the oath of office today as president of Paraguay. He barred fanfare and fancy dress.

He seized power last February in one of Paraguay's countless coups. There have been five changes of government within a year.

Cardinal Mindzenty Suffers Breakdown

Rome, May 14—(AP)—The Vatican radio yesterday quoted the Italian news agency Astra as saying Josef Cardinal Mindzenty has suffered a mental breakdown in a Hungarian prison.

There was no confirmation of the report elsewhere.

Northern Norway contains Europe's only glacier which reaches from the mountain heights directly to the sea. It throws off the color of deep blue.

Wages and salaries normally account for at least half of the total costs of retailing, according to the Twentieth Century Fund.

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Look through this issue. Note the array of happenings, good and bad, that are reported so that you can be informed and shape your life accordingly. Read the opinions—ours and those of lawmakers, labor leaders, businessmen and educators. Some may please. You may disagree with others. But they are here for you to read, study, accept or reject as you wish.

Imagine not being able to do so! Don't think it can't happen. When the war was raging, you were concerned about freedom. Perhaps for the first time you saw how much people need a free press in order to be free.

Because Mussolini and Hitler are dead, don't take it for granted that freedom is safe. To keep it intact calls for ceaseless vigilance.

Today there are men and women—some well-meaning but short-sighted, some malignant—who would enslave you. They form committees, pass high-sounding resolutions and agitate for laws.

One of their first attacks is on your freedom to know. They would deny you access to information—facts and opinions—except that which they claim is good for you. In effect they want no opinions published except their own. They know that, if they can control what you read, they can control your mind. They seek to limit the free exchange of facts and opinions now available. They talk about the necessity of limiting the press. When they say that, they mean limiting you.

Freedom of the press doesn't belong exclusively to newspapers. It belongs to everyone. The newspapers are minority owners. Freedom of the press means freedom to read as well as freedom to publish. When newspapers become propaganda mouthpieces, they are not free—and neither are you.

The choice is yours. You can shut off your access to what is going on in this country and throughout the world by following these self-styled leaders. Or you can refuse to be led into ignorance and slavery—refuse to give up your right to know as a self-governing free citizen.

Damage to Holland Tunnel Will Exceed Million Dollars

New York, May 14—(AP)—Bulldozers scraped through deep ooze and matted wreckage today to clear the blast-seared Holland tunnel for its daily load of 46,000 cars and trucks.

A big truck rolling towards New York with a cargo of chemicals, blew up Friday morning. It spewed fire and poisonous gas through 300 feet of the traffic-clogged tunnel.

However, the tunnel was expected to be ready for normal operations by late this afternoon. Damage may total \$1,000,000.

Minor explosions and small fires hampered workmen throughout last night but added little to the already severe damage.

Repairmen said 250 feet of the tunnel's inner ceiling would have to be replaced.

Scout Negligence

New Jersey authorities sought to determine if criminal negligence led to the concentrated on the underwater highway that links New York and New Jersey beneath the Hudson river.

Sixty-six persons, mostly firemen and tunnel workers, collapsed or staggered, groggily from the tunnel's smoke-fogged depths during a five-hour battle with fire and fumes.

Twenty-six were taken to hospitals with burns or gas poisoning. None were reported in danger.

Priest Tells Story

A priest, the Rev. Fr. John Shields, was one of several clergymen who went in to aid the injured. He gave the last rites of the Catholic church to five men during two hours inside. All lived.

"It was awful in there," Father Shields said as he came out.

Experts said only the 84 powerful blowers in the walls kept gas fumes from building up a blanket that might have turned the tunnel into a deadly gas chamber.

The evil smelling, yellow fumes were drawn out and replaced by fresh air before they "kissed" any lives.

Firemen wore gas masks or oxygen helmets as they braved the smoky, steaming semi-darkness in relays.

At least 23 trucks rumbled to an abrupt halt in bumper to bumper confusion as a mushroom of fire signaled the explosion. They were sprayed with flaming chemical and damaged or destroyed.

The intense heat fused some of them together, melting their metal frameworks into an almost solid wall of wreckage.

Panic-stricken private motorists abandoned their cars and stumbled for the tunnel exits, handkerchiefs clutched to their smarting eyes.

Telephone, television, radio and press cables melted away in the heat and darkness of the east-bound tube. The American Telephone and Telegraph Co. called it the worst communications failure in its history.

Sought Bubbles

Although weakened, the tunnel failed to crack. Fire boats skimmed the river surface during the fire, seeking tell-tale bubbles that might indicate a leak.

The tunnel, two miles long and 93 feet under the Hudson, was completed in 1927. It cost \$48,400,000 and is insured for \$60,000,000.

The 16-ton trailer truck that exploded was carrying 80 drums each containing 55 gallons of carbon disulphide. It is used to make rayon, vulcanize rubber, as an insecticide and as a paint and varnish remover. It burns easily and is poisonous when concentrated.

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